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## MACKENZIE AND MANN GIVEN NICE PRESENT

Guarantee Trustee Companies  
Are Controlled by the Two  
Railway Magnates

## WILL REAP COMMISSION ON FORTY-FIVE MILLIONS

Every Little Bit Helps When  
Multi-millionaires Are Hard  
Pressed Financially

## ISLAND LABOR TROUBLE QUIETLY SIDESTEPED

Ottawa, July 24.—To many people there may seem to be no special significance in the announcement at Ottawa that the National Trust company and the British Empire Trust company have been named by the government as the trustees in connection with the \$45,000,000 bond guarantee which Premier Borden forced through parliament for the Canadian Northern. The significance becomes all too clear when the one fact is viewed in the light of others.

Z. A. Lash, one of the owners of the Canadian Northern, is vice-president of the National Trust company. Sir William Mackenzie holds considerable interest in the National Trust company, and is the head of the Canadian Northern company. Last year, if not now, Sir William was a director of the National Trust company. So was Hon. F. H. Philpott, one of the chief officers of the Canadian Northern. Until his entry into the Borden government, the present finance minister of Canada, Hon. W. T. White—the man who, with Premier Borden, has been chiefly responsible for the prodigious amount of Canadian money and credit has been used to advance the interests of Mackenzie and Mann—was general manager of the National Trust company. As finance minister, Mr. White had most to say in the naming of the trust companies to handle the \$45,000,000 "deal," he chose the company of which he was formerly general manager and vice-president, and the British Empire Trust company.

The British Empire company will handle the British end of the business. One of the directors of the British Empire company is Sir William Mackenzie. Another is D. B. Hanna, one of the vice-presidents of the Canadian Northern. Like the National Trust, it is largely a Canadian Northern company.

When these facts are borne in mind, everyone can see the significance of the announcement that these two trust companies have been chosen by the government to handle the \$45,000,000 business. Mackenzie and Mann were unremitting in their efforts on behalf of the Borden party in the 1911 election campaign. It is current knowledge that when success crowned those efforts, Mackenzie and Mann named Mr. White as finance minister, and, incidentally, named other ministers, too. In their first year of power the Borden ministers "remembered" their friends with a gift of millions from the public treasury. In 1913 Mr. Borden, Mr. White and their colleagues handed over to Mackenzie and Mann a second gift of \$5,640,000. During the session just closed they gave Mackenzie and Mann the huge guarantee of \$45,000,000, despite the earnest protests of the Liberal opposition.

Now, as if enough had not been done already, the government gives to trust companies in which the Mackenzie and Mann group are largely interested and in which they hold directorships, another rich plum in the shape of trusteeships to handle the \$45,000,000 business. Mackenzie and Mann get \$45,000,000 from the government, and Mackenzie and Mann trust companies get the rich commissions which will come through the trusteeships.

This whole piece of dealing is the most shameless in all the history of Canada. The government flaunts its devotion to Mackenzie and Mann in the face of the public. Millions of public money are poured out like water to serve the interests of two multi-millionaires, and when companies are needed to handle a trust in which Mackenzie and Mann are interested, Mackenzie and Mann companies are named. It is not the Borden government, but the Mackenzie and Mann government.

It is worth while noting the difference between the attitude of the Borden government toward Mackenzie and Mann and its attitude toward the Grand Trunk Pacific. Incidentally, the comparison serves to emphasize the hypocrisy of the government's professions of desire to advance the interests of labor.

Within recent weeks the government delayed the completion of formalities in connection with the bond guarantee voted the Grand Trunk Pacific at the last session of parliament, and delayed completion on the pretense of forcing the adjustment of certain difficulties between the company and some of its

## SNOWDEN CONTRASTS HINDUS AND SOME RACES OF EUROPE

Winnipeg, July 23.—Phillip Snowden, Labor M. P. for Blackburn in the house of commons, speaking on the Hindu question and troubles at Vancouver, said last night: "There is a funny side to that business, but from an imperial point of view it is a serious question. If the British empire means anything at all, it means equal rights for all within the empire. I don't think that you will ever be able to keep the empire together if you are going to erect an impassable barricade against the people of one part coming into another section of the empire. I do not want to be thought dogmatic on a subject so closely Canadian, but I fancy that the Hindus would be as easy to assimilate as some people from eastern Europe that are freely admitted to the Dominion. And with respect to these people there is no question of imperial interests such as refusal to allow entry to the Hindus provide us with."

Mr. Snowden leaves on Saturday for the west.

## CHICAGO VICE DISTRICT IS MAZE OF TUNNELS

Chicago, July 24.—A maze of tunnels, secret passages and hiding places have been uncovered by the police in a raid on a notorious vice district. Dressers with no drawers in them, the vacant space furnishing a hiding place, a wall safe that in reality was the entrance to a tunnel under the street, and hiding places in caves built under closets were among the devices. A notorious all-night dance hall called "Gibraltar," which was threatened with closing by the new police captain of the district, remained open until after daylight to-day as usual.

## FINANCIAL POST FILLED.

Winnipeg, Man., July 24.—It is announced to-day that A. M. Nanton, well known Winnipeg financier, who succeeded Sir William Whyte on the directorate of the C. P. railway, has been elected to the vice-presidency held by Sir William in the Winnipeg Electric Railway board. G. V. Hastings, former manager of the Lake of the Woods Milling Co., was elected director of the Winnipeg Electric board.

employees. What deep sympathy for labor was here displayed!

When the \$45,000,000 bond guarantee of the Canadian Northern was under discussion in parliament a motion was offered by Alphonse Verrette, the Labor member, seconded by W. F. Carroll, the Liberal member for Cape Breton South, providing that the guarantee should not be given until Mackenzie and Mann agreed to the appointment of a board of conciliation to deal with the labor troubles in their mines on Vancouver Island. The motion received unanimous Liberal support. On the other hand, it was angrily denounced by Hon. V. Crothers, minister of labor, and by Hon. Borden, who forced his forces in voting it down. Now, at the very same time that the government has been professing great concern as to the welfare of Grand Trunk Pacific employees, the labor troubles in the Vancouver Island mines have been growing steadily worse until a general strike in British Columbia is threatened.

Has the government delayed the completion of the formalities in connection with the \$45,000,000 guarantee for Mackenzie and Mann in order to force the railway magnates to attempt a settlement of the difficulties in their mines? Not a bit of it. The \$45,000,000 "deal" has been rushed to completion with not a word from the government in regard to the welfare of the British Columbia miners.

It makes, oh, such a very great difference whether the government is dealing with Mackenzie and Mann or with other men. When Mackenzie and Mann want anything from Borden the interests and desires of the railway multi-millionaires come first. The interests of labor—what are they to Premier Borden and Hon. Mr. White when those interests conflict with the wishes of Mackenzie and Mann, who worked so energetically for the Borden forces in 1911?

## FIRST OFFER OF STOCK IS ISSUED AT MONTREAL

Three Million Pounds Sterling in Debentures Can Be Subscribed For.

Montreal, July 23.—Lazard Brothers are to-day offering for sale at a price of 94 per cent. \$3,000,000 in 4 per cent. guaranteed debenture stock of the Canadian Northern railway, the issue constituting a part of the total authorized amount of \$9,427,926.

The stock is unconditionally guaranteed as to principal and interest by the government of the Dominion of Canada, and will be registered at the company's office in London or at the option of the holder in Toronto. The company reserves the right to repay the stock in whole or in part on any interest date; the stock to be redeemed will be ascertained by drawings. The net proceeds of the issue are to be paid to the credit of the minister of finance and the receiver-general of Canada, and will be applied towards the completion, equipment and betterment of the undertakings of the Canadian Northern railway system.

## SIX CANADIANS ARE TO SHOOT IN FINAL

British Columbia Rifleman in  
Third Stage for the  
King's Prize

## NOBLE LEADING TEAM ON AGGREGATE SCORES

Montreal Gunner Scores 191  
in Two Stages of Bisley  
Competition

## M'LEAN TWO POINTS BEHIND NOW SECOND

Bisley Camp, Eng., July 24.—The following six Canadians will shoot to-morrow in the final stage of the King's prize, fifteen shots at 900 and 1,000 yards which gives a possible of one hundred and fifty points in that stage. The aggregate at this stage added on to the aggregates already made in the first two stages gives the winning order.

Gunner Noble, Montreal, 191 aggregate; Lieut. McLean, Hopewell, N. S., 189; Sgt. Martin, Calgary, 186; Color Sgt. Stoddard, Hamilton, 185; Lieut. Brooks, Okanagan Landing, 183; Staff-Sgt. Laman, Halifax, 183.

Pte. Hendry, Dundas, 182, will shoot to-night with a number of others and may get in.

Pte. Fulton, of the Queen's Westminster, won the N. R. A. silver medal and badge for making the highest aggregate score in the first and second stages combined, and will enter the last stage to-morrow with 126. He won the prize in 1912 and the Daily Graphic and St. George's last year. Major Howard, agent-general for Nova Scotia, shooting as a member of the King Edward's Horse, scored 47 at the three hundred range to-day and 48 at the six hundred and has an aggregate of 187. He will shoot in the final stage.

Nineteen scores of 182 will shoot off for eleven bottom places among the hundred who will shoot for the prize to-morrow. Sgt. H. Ommundsen, 41st Royal Scots Reserve, silver medalist last year, enters the final stage with an aggregate of 185.

Australia has seven men in the final stage out of nine who reached the second stage.

When firing concluded to-day at the 300 and the 600 yards ranges which form the second stage of the King's prize, Gunner Noble, of Montreal, was the leading Canadian marksman in the competition at first and second ranges with an aggregate of 191. He scored 45 at the 600 yards and 47 at the 300 yards to-day. His card for the longer distance was as follows: 5, 5, 5, 4, 3, 5, 3, 5, 4-45.

Lieut. McLean, of Hopewell, N. S., was second highest Canadian with an aggregate for the two stages of 189. At 600 yards Lieut. McLean made the following score: 3, 4, 5, 5, 5, 5, 4, 5, 5-49.

The weather to-day was brighter and conditions were generally favorable for good shooting.

The Canadian scores at both ranges to-day with the aggregates for the first two stages of the King's prize are as follows:

	300	600	Yds. Yds. Ag.
Sgt. Armstrong, Halifax	43	89	139
Corp. Beas, Montreal	43	85	128
Lt. Brooks, Okanagan Landing	43	143	186
Sgt. Bullock, Toronto	43	49	92
Pte. Emale, Toronto	43	49	92
Pte. Falconer, Alma	43	49	92
Pte. Hendry, Dundas	43	39	82
Staff-Sgt. Laman, Halifax	43	143	186
Pte. Lowry, Guelph	43	49	92
Sgt. Martin, Calgary	43	143	186
Lieut. Morrison, Toronto	43	39	82
Q-M-S. McInnes, Edmonton	43	49	92
Lieut. McLean, Hopewell	43	146	189
Gr. Noble, Montreal	45	142	187
Col. Sgt. Stoddard, Hamilton	46	139	185
Pte. A. G. Fulton, Queens Westminster	46	143	189

The Queen's prize is confined to all territorial services on the active list of a home territorial unit. Pte. Fulton was King's prizeman in 1912 and winner of the Daily Graphic and St. George's in 1913. Sgt. French, Hartford Yeomanry; Sgt. Medland, 3rd Devonshire, and Pte. Calder, 8th Scots, take the next places.

Canadians won range prizes in the King's first stage as follows: 200 yards—Col. Sgt. Stoddard, 32nd, 45; Sgt. Bullock, 35th, 41; 500 yards—Pte. Falconer, 23rd; Pte. Lowry, 27th; Gunner Noble, 31st, each 44; 600 yards—Lieut. McLean, 24th, 45; Gunner Noble, 32nd, 45; Special prize, Col. Brown, Toronto, fourth, 40.

The Canadian garden party was largely attended. Hon. G. H. Perley, acting Canadian high commissioner, has offered some prizes for team aggregates, following the practice of the late Lord Strathcona, who did this for some time.

Canadian winnings in the Elkhington Challenge cup are as follows: Sgt. Armstrong, 3rd; Lieut. Brooks, 12th; Lieut. McLean, 34th; Pte. Falconer, 9th and Piper McLeod, 43rd, each 45.

## ST. JOHN REGIMENTS ORDERED ON DUTY TO STOP STRIKERS CONTINUING RIOTS

Regulars Sent From Fredericton; People Ordered to Remain Indoors To-night; City Quiet After Lawless Night Brought About by Street Railway Employees' Dispute

St. John, N. B., July 24.—As a result of last night's rioting in sympathy with the striking street-car employees, early this morning the infantry and artillery regiments at St. John were called out by their commanding officers, and general orders issued instructing every officer and private to repair to the armory with rifles, side arms and ball pouches, at once. A request was also sent to Fredericton for a detachment of regulars and a reply was received that they were on their way and would arrive shortly.

The city was quiet this morning and there was no demonstration when one hundred of the striking street railway employees marched to their quarters. The citizens are parading the streets in crowds, inspecting the damage done by the rioters last night, which amounts to several thousands of dollars.

A proclamation will be issued this afternoon warning all citizens to keep off the streets to-night. Civil and military authorities and representative citizens are determined that disorder must be checked. Early this morning the mayor was assured by Colonel Humphrey of the garrison at Halifax, that a special train had been ordered and that regulars would be en route for St. John unless local conditions meant while justified the cancellation of the order.

The rioting last night was caused by a dispute between the street railway

## AUSTRIAN RESERVISTS MUST JOIN REGIMENTS AT CAILLAUX TRIAL

Germany Ready to Draw  
Sword Should Serbia Not  
Comply With Demand

Berlin, July 24.—Austrian reservists residing here were instructed to-day to hold themselves in readiness to return to Austria and join their regiments at the shortest notice.

The grave possibilities with the strong Austrian note to Serbia, which virtually demanded the suppression of the Pan-Serbian movement and the punishment of those concerned in the assassination of the late Archduke Francis Ferdinand, are recognized to-day in official circles here. It is realized that further serious developments in Austro-Serbian relations are inevitable unless Serbia complies with the Austrian demands.

It is believed in authoritative quarters that the Serbians will yield unless assured of support from outside, and for this reason official eyes here are to-day turned less toward Belgrade than to St. Petersburg, where the council of ministers is expected to settle the question of peace or war. It was stated that Germany had not been concerned regarding the Austrian note to Serbia before its delivery, but that she thoroughly approved of the step taken and was prepared for all the consequences that might ensue from it.

It was pointed out that should Russia take part against Austria, Germany would be fully prepared to draw the sword on behalf of her ally, Italy, in accordance with the terms of the triple alliance between Germany, Austria and Italy. Comment in the German press to-day strongly supports Austria.

The stock market broke badly under the fear of general European complications. Securities in large amounts had been unloaded at the declines, and the breaks in Austrian and Russian specialties assumed almost a panicky form.

## COUNT ALEXANDER ROMA DIED AT ATHENS TO-DAY

Athens, July 24.—Count Alexander Roma, leader of the Garibaldi legion during the last Balkan war, in which he was wounded, died here to-day. He was a member of the chamber of deputies, of which he was at one time speaker. He formerly held the portfolio of minister of education in the Greek cabinet.

## CLAFIN ASSETS EIGHT MILLIONS ABOVE DEBTS

New York, July 24.—The temporary receivers for the H. B. Clafin company, drygoods merchants, declared to-day in a preliminary report that the total assets of the bankrupt firm, exclusive of notes undiscounted, were \$2,876,354, total liabilities exclusive of notes undiscounted of capital stock \$4,842,253. The report showed an excess of assets over liabilities of \$8,034,100.

## PALACE CONFERENCE FAILS TO HEAL ULSTER BREACH

Premier Asquith Makes Announcement That Conferees Found It Impossible to Find an Area to Be Excluded From the Operation of the Irish Home Rule Bill

## MILITANT CARSON CALLED TO PALACE WHY NOT WOMEN?

Suffragettes Say King Has Made Precedent and Now Must Give Mrs. Pankhurst an Interview.

London, July 24.—Two suffragettes belonging to the British nobility, Lady Barclay and the Hon. Miss Edith Fitzgerald, were arrested to-day at Buckingham Palace and unsuccessful attempts to present to King George a letter written to his majesty by Mrs. Emmeline Pankhurst, the militant suffragette leader.

The letter demanded a personal interview with the king and claimed that the suffragettes be given the same right to an interview as certain militant men, namely, Sir Edward Carson, Captain James Craig, John Dillon and John E. Redmond, who had, it was pointed out, been invited to Buckingham Palace by the king. The two women announced their determination to remain at the palace until they were given an audience with the king. The police took them to the nearest police station.

The letter was conveyed to the palace last night by Lady Isobel Margesson and another, but they were refused admission. They were told they might forward the letter to the king's secretary, who would send it to the home office.

## CARBAJAL, CARRANZA, VILLA AND ZAPATA IN LINE FOR PEACE

General Huerta Arrives at Jamaica With Other Mexican Fugitives.

Washington, July 24.—Direct advice to the United States to-day from Provisional President Carbalja, General Carranza, General Villa and Emilio Zapata, the four chief elements in the Mexican problem, renewed the hopes of officials here for peace. The Brazilian minister in Mexico City officially declared Carbalja was willing to transfer the executive power to Carranza and had sent a delegate, Reginaldo Cepeda, to arrange with the constitutional chief.

Carbalja reiterated he merely wanted an amnesty for political offenders and guarantees for the safety of the property of people who had supported Huerta.

Carranza, through the American consul accompanying him, manifested his readiness to be lenient with the foes of the constitutionalists and give the desired guarantees.

Villa in a message phrased in most courteous terms, spoke of his desire to see peace established on a basis of justice and gave assurances that he would do his utmost to restore normal conditions. Communication with Zapata has been difficult, but official word has been obtained from him in which he manifests a desire to join with the constitutional chief in rehabilitating the government machinery throughout Mexico.

Kingston, Jamaica, July 24.—General Huerta and the party of fugitives from Mexico accompanying him, arrived to-day on board the German cruiser Dresden from Puerto Mexico.

El Paso, Tex., July 24.—Colima, capital of the state of that name, and Manzanillo, important west coast seaport, have fallen into the hands of the constitutionalist troops under General Obregon.

## WARRANT ASKED FOR WINNIPEG GRAIN MAN

Winnipeg, July 24.—Application made this afternoon to Judge Metcalfe for warrant for arrest and imprisonment of J. B. Campbell, former well-known member Winnipeg grain exchange. He is accused of defrauding creditors out of a sum placed as high as \$100,000, and then disappearing in the United States a month ago.

## DROP OF 23 DEGREES.

Chicago, July 24.—Moderate temperatures which succeeded yesterday's torrid wave throughout the central west continued to-day and was further freshened by showers. In this city the mercury stood at seventy-six degrees at noon, 23 degrees lower than the high mark yesterday.

London, July 24.—The fact that the conference at Buckingham Palace between the leaders of various political parties had been rendered abortive by its failure to agree on the area of Ulster to be excluded from the control of the Dublin parliament was confirmed by Premier Asquith in the House of Commons to-day.

The premier's statement on the subject of to-day's meeting of the conferees was brief. He said: "The possibility of finding an area to be excluded from the operation of the Irish Home Rule bill was considered, but the conferees, unable to agree in principle or in detail on such an area, brought its meeting to a close."

Mr. Asquith then announced that the second reading of the bill to amend the Irish Home Rule bill would be taken on July 28.

The premier was invited to inform the house as to the exact differences of opinion which had prevented the attainment of a settlement by the conference and in reply said: "I can make no statement on the subject at the present moment."

The Buckingham Palace conference to-day was the shortest of its four sessions. The chairman, the Right Hon. James Lowther, Premier Asquith and Chancellor Lloyd George, representing the Liberals; Andrew Bonar Law and the Marquis of Lansdowne, of the regular Conservative opposition; Sir Edward Carson and Captain Craig, Ulster Unionists, and John Dillon, Irish Nationalist, arrived at the palace at 11 o'clock, but the business of the session did not begin until half-past eleven, when John E. Redmond, through a misunderstanding, was half an hour late.

Discussion of the Ulster situation lasted only forty minutes and the members then left the palace.

New York, July 24.—A London cable says: "The rumor is current that the Ulster covenanter intend to set up a provisional government immediately the news comes of the failure of the palace conference. The difficulties of Sir Edward Carson and his friends will begin the minute they proceed to act, and while his majesty's ministers do not contemplate any offensive action against the covenanter, they will be bound to meet force with force, if the Ulstermen take the aggressive."

## GOVERNMENT EMPLOYEES JOIN STRIKE IN RUSSIA

Quick-Firing Machine Guns Taken to St. Petersburg to Suppress Disorder.

St. Petersburg July 24.—Stern measures were taken by the authorities to-day to suppress the strike riots which have been in progress for several days in the streets of the capital and during which a large number of casualties have occurred in the conflicts between the police and the Cossacks and the striking workmen. Considerable leniency was shown during the presence here of Raymond Poineau, president of France, but immediately after his departure four regiments of cavalry of the guard and two regiments of cuirassiers under the command of General Krasnov arrived from Krasnov to assist in suppressing the disorders. They brought with them a number of quick-firing machine guns.

A squadron of the newly-arrived cavalry also came into contact with the strikers, charging and dispersing a crowd of them.

The authorities estimate the number of strikers at 135,000, but it is believed the total is greater.

The street-car service, which has been interrupted for 48 hours, was restored to-day. This fact incensed the strikers, who hurled volleys of stones at the cars and their drivers as they proceeded through the streets. Several demonstrations were attempted, but the manifestants were quickly dispersed by Cossacks.

One feature of the strike is that the movement had been joined by the government employees.

## BARNES LIBEL WRIT WILL NOT STOP ROOSEVELT

Oyster Bay, N. Y., July 24.—The reply of Col. Roosevelt to the \$25,000 libel suit of William Barnes to-day was an attack on the Republican state chairman and a promise to move the suit forward. Col. Roosevelt said he would not be deterred from attacking Mr. Barnes by the suit, but on the contrary would assail him the harder. He expressed the hope that he would have the opportunity to take the stand against Mr. Barnes before election.





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### KARLUK'S MEN OUT OF FOOD DURING AUGUST

Bear Leaves To-morrow Hoping to Reach Wrangell Island in Time

Nome, Alaska, July 23.—The revenue cutter Bear, with Captain Robert F. Bartlett, master of the wrecked Stefansson exploring ship Karluk aboard, will sail to-morrow for the Arctic to take off the eighteen white men and four Eskimos of Bartlett's command, who are marooned on Wrangell Island, where they sought refuge after the Karluk was crushed in the Arctic ice north of Herald Island last winter.

The Bear will carry provisions enough to last nine months. She will first take the mail to Point Barrow, the most northerly point of Alaska, stopping at all government stations en route. It is expected that twelve days will be occupied making the voyage to Point Barrow, after which the Bear will turn westward and try to make her way through the ice floes to Wrangell Island, off the northeastern coast of Siberia. Captain Bartlett said to-day that the Karluk's men will run out of provisions about the middle of August and the Bear will make every effort to reach them before their supply gives out, although they should be able to subsist on game, in which Wrangell Island abounds, if the rescue party is delayed.

The power schooner P. J. Abler, which arrived from the Arctic to-day with a big cargo of furs, reported that ice conditions along both the American and Siberian shores of the Arctic are the worst ever known.

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### MIXED ACCOUNTS ARE PUZZLING INQUIRERS

Forty-Five Thousand Dollars Not Fully Explained in Valley Railway Case

St. John, N. B., July 24.—Ralph D. Hoban, accountant for the St. John and Quebec Construction Company, was on the stand all day yesterday in the Valley railway inquiry. The session was devoted to tracing and locating payments made by the construction company. There was considerable difficulty in tracing the payments by the company. One of the most puzzling entries was a charge of \$45,000 for interest, which was shown as part of the cost of construction. The only voucher for this was an order-in-council freeing a surety company of their responsibility for \$45,000 of a \$50,000 guarantee of interest on the bonds. The connection was not shown.

Further payments of interest indicated that the interest on the loans totalling about \$44,000, negotiated with the Prudential Trust Company of Montreal by Gould, Lisman, McDonald and Thompson, was paid by the construction company and charged to the cost of the road. That the money borrowed was used for construction purposes has not been shown.

The deeper the council and commissioners dug into the matter the more difficult it seemed to bring order out of chaos. At every turn they met with the obstacle that transactions which they wished to trace had been handled through the New York office, and the connection if there is any, would be found only there.

The evening session was a little more productive. It showed that in July, 1913, A. B. Gould wrote up with the inspiration that he was entitled to a salary of \$5,000 a year from the construction company. It was not shown that Mr. Gould held any office in this company, or that any order to provide him with a salary had been passed by the company. But Mr. Gould received \$10,000 for the two preceding years.

The amount paid to Mr. Gould reached a total, up to March of this year, of \$19,266. But the accountant was unable to explain what value the railway had to show for the balance of the payments.

Another matter brought up was the claim of J. D. Seely for \$16,000. The full amount was charged up to general expenses, although only \$4,000 was actually. The entry was classified as "organization expenses."

### SAYS THAT INFANTRY ARE SENT TO ULSTER

Purpose is to Check Outbreak; Military Orders to Men in Army Are Strict.

London, July 24.—The Daily Telegraph's Dublin correspondent sends a message to the effect that the infantry are being sent to Ulster, and those who are engaged in field operations in that province are being mobilized with a view to coping with any emergency which may arise. An order has been issued from the war office prohibiting them from associating or taking part in any way with the Ulster or Nationalist volunteers. The government order announces that court-martial will be the punishment to follow in case of its violation on the part of those giving aid or instruction to any or either of the volunteer forces now known to exist in Ireland, whose intentions are partly or wholly known to interfere with peace and good order of that portion of his majesty's domains known as Ireland. All pensioners from the service have been warned that their action in giving help to either of the volunteer forces will be looked upon as the imparting of military secrets to another force, which differs in essentials from that in which they were employed, and will be strictly investigated.

### CALGARY MILITIAMEN SCENT MORTAL COMBAT

Officer Formerly With Pancho Villa Issues Challenge and Makes Charges.

Calgary, July 24.—Gustav H. Schoof, ex-sergeant-major of the 23rd Alberta Rangers, and formerly with General Pancho Villa's army in Mexico, makes the statement that on June 19 three officers of the militia were drunk while attending the recent encampment of the Alberta soldiers. In an open letter to Col. Cruikshanks, who brands the allegations as false, Schoof offers to accuse the three officers to their face. If Col. Cruikshanks will call them together, and also offers to engage with swords in mortal combat the three officers.

If Schoof is sincere in his search for battle, he is called. Captain J. C. Page, late of the imperial army in Egypt, India and South Africa, although not one of the officers accused, is willing and anxious to meet the major with any weapons Schoof cares to choose.

Local militiamen are awaiting Schoof's reply. The officers accused of drunkenness are not local men.

### TWO BANKS AT TORONTO ARE TO BE AMALGAMATED

Toronto, July 24.—The amalgamation of the Bank of Nova Scotia and the Metropolitan bank, two of the leading chartered banks of Canada, was announced yesterday afternoon. The merger has progressed so far that circulars embodying the basis of the amalgamation have been prepared and approved by the directors of both institutions and are being mailed to the shareholders of each.

### MARTIN BACK AGAIN SPEAKS OF FINANCE

"Fighting Joe" Done With Politics, Criticizes British Columbia Investments

Vancouver, July 24.—"I am out of politics for good. I intend to devote my time in the future to my legal business," yesterday declared Joseph Martin, British Columbia's well-known "Fighting Joe" who went to England, got into the heat of political differences there, contested the seat in parliament and represented East St. Pancras, made himself heard and felt, and now is back again.

Mr. Martin returned to the city yesterday and it was but a few hours until he was seen at his desk in the Fairfield building busy with legal-looking documents. Mr. Martin was unusually quiet, and refused positively to be drawn out on any subject of a political nature. He said that rumors to the contrary, he was out of politics and intended to stay out.

He had, he said, given his resignation to his association in East St. Pancras, and, although he understood it had not been acted on, that made no difference, for there probably would be an election in a few months and he would not be a candidate. He said he was pleased to be back home again and intended remaining.

As to business conditions in England, Mr. Martin said they were good, though he did not think the people were very kindly disposed toward British Columbia investments now.

"There have been dumped on the English public the worst pack of British Columbia swindlers," he remarked, in offering a reason for his statement. "The English public have no longer a kindly feeling for British Columbia investments. I do not know if they were all swindlers or not, but it does not matter, the English investors lost their money anyway. I do not understand people investing in such propositions, but they do it just the same."

### UNIVERSAL SUFFRAGE NOT BELGIAN TROUBLE

People Take Small Interest Leaving Matter Mostly to Politicians.

Ghent, Belgium, July 24.—The Belgian Liberal party appears to have been somewhat concerned lately over the possibility that a compromise might be effected between the Socialists and the Roman Catholic party in power, in virtue of which the former would agree to favor woman suffrage in return for the Roman Catholic party's support of a constitutional revision in favor of universal suffrage in Belgium.

Recently a leading organ of the Belgian Socialists, in response to an interrogation on the part of a prominent Liberal paper, unequivocally declared that a compromise of this character was out of the question, which assertion was possibly sincere under existing conditions, and for the time being relieved the anxiety of the Liberal element.

To a disinterested spectator, however, it appears that the great mass of the Belgian people evince little or no interest in the question of universal suffrage, while the party leaders with their personal interests and those of their immediate followers at stake, are not so apathetic on the subject.

The Roman Catholics, who owe their 20 years continuous tenure of office to the present electoral system, are quite naturally averse to its abandonment, while the opposition forces, mainly composed of the Liberal and Socialist parties, are eager for a change which they believe would be to the disadvantage of the Roman Catholics, and therefore hail universal suffrage as a powerful weapon to be used against their common adversary, but neither the Liberal party nor the Socialists are disposed to aid each other.

The mere idea of giving any form of suffrage to the women has aroused the ire of the Liberal party, who oppose such a course. The reason why this party and the Socialists are so opposed to giving the ballot to women is, however, easily understood, as is also the reason why the Roman Catholics are in favor of it; each is simply acting from motives of self-interest.

The Roman Catholic church in Belgium recruits its most ardent and enthusiastic followers from among the women of the country, and it is quite certain that should universal suffrage be accorded, the baneful effects feared by the Catholic political party would be largely neutralized by giving women the suffrage and the party could still hope to continue in power.

On the other hand the Liberals and Socialists realize that woman suffrage would create a formidable obstacle to the realization of their aspirations and therefore denounce any such step as impossible.

### UNEMPLOYED DEPORTED NOW IN LARGE BATCHES

Some Men Who Had No Work in Ottawa Get Employment on Farms.

Ottawa, July 24.—About fifty more of the unemployed foreigners here are being deported to the old country, and will leave for Montreal to-morrow and will sail the next day. This will make a total of seventy-five that have gone. It is understood that deportations have been made out for about a similar number, and these will be sent as soon as the department can make arrangements.

During the last week a large number of the unemployed have taken work with farmers in this district. Many of them are receiving from \$25 to \$30 a month and their board.

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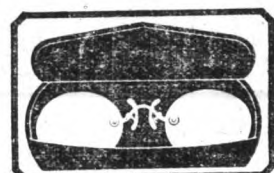
### PESSIMISM ON CROPS NOT RIGHT SAYS BURY

C. P. R. Arranging to Take Over Alberta Central Railway Company.

Calgary, July 24.—George Bury, vice-president of the C. P. R., who is in the city to-day, is of the opinion that an altogether too pessimistic view of crop conditions in the country has been taken by some people. D. C. Coleman said that Mr. Bury did not desire to be interviewed, but he made an important announcement in regard to the position of the Alberta Central Railway company. The engineer of the railway commissioners is now making an inspection of this road with a view to the C. P. R. taking it over. Mr. Coleman stated that the C. P. R. will take control of this line as soon as the necessary arrangements can be made. Asked as to the progress being made with the double tracking west of Calgary, Mr. Coleman said he was authorized by the vice-president to say that excellent progress was being made, not only with the double tracking, but also with the tunnel at Roger's Pass. There was nothing of any importance which could possibly be foreseen that would tend to stop the building operations of the two undertakings.

### FIFTY THOUSAND DOLLAR BULL TRAVELS IN AUTO

Kent, N. Y., July 24.—John Artman, brought to LaGrangeville, near Kent, yesterday, a prize pedigreed bull purchased for \$50,000, in an automobile. The car was built to take the bull, said to be the most valuable in the United



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### MISCHIEVOUS BOYS ARE CAUSE OF MAN'S DEATH

Fell Between Cars of Excursion Train  
That Was Stopped Suddenly  
and Parted.

Aberdeen, Wash., July 24.—William  
Anderson, aged 35, a carpenter, was cut  
in two yesterday when he fell under  
the train carrying excursionists to the  
merchants' picnic at Moclips. The ac-  
cident which caused the fatality is at-  
tributed to reckless boys who got on

the rear of the train and pulled the  
emergency cord, setting the brakes  
suddenly and causing the train to un-  
couple about the centre.

Anderson was crossing between the  
parts that separated when he was  
plunged to the track. He leaves a wife,  
who was on the train and collapsed  
when told of the tragedy.

### THIRTY THOUSAND MEN OFF TO LUMBER CAMPS

Ottawa, July 24.—The annual rush to  
the lumber camps has begun and by  
August 15 firms in Ottawa and district  
will have working in timber limits  
adjacent to the Dumoine, Black, Chip-  
ewau, Koko, Petawawa, Ottawa and  
other rivers of the Ottawa valley be-  
tween thirty and forty thousand men.  
In less than two months the demand  
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## M'CALLUM WINNER OF NEW WESTMINSTER CUP

Victoria Riflemen Score Pro-  
minently in Richmond  
Range Matches

Vancouver, B. C., July 24.—The scor-  
ing in the British Columbia rifle  
matches at the Richmond range yester-  
day was again very high. The weather  
was fine and warm, and the wind, al-  
though inclined to be unsteady at  
times, was, on the whole, more satis-  
factory to the marksmen than on Wed-  
nesday.

Three matches were competed for  
during the day, the Lieutenant-Governor's  
match (first stage), the Westminster  
match and the Victoria match and two  
ties were shot-off.

In the Lieutenant-Governor's match,  
the blue ribbon event, Captain T. Cun-  
ningham, 104th Regiment, New West-  
minster, was leading man with the  
magnificent score of 105 out of 105, in-  
cluding a possible score at 600 yards.  
This score wins him the B. C. R. A.  
silver medal. Five other competitors  
were successful in attaining the cen-  
tury mark.

The highest ninety-six competitors  
will compete in the second and final  
stage on Saturday. All competitors  
having a score of 98 or better are in-  
cluded in the second stage. As the  
57th man had 92 there will be no shoot-  
off for the final place. The scores in  
this match will be published at the  
completion of the second stage.

New Westminster match.

In the New Westminster match, ten  
shots at 500 yards, five competitors,  
viz., Color-Sergeant B. H. Anderson,  
88th Regiment, Victoria; Sergeant-Major  
Doyle, 5th C. G. A., Victoria; Gun-  
ner McCallum, 5th C. G. A., Victoria;  
Major Slater, 6th Regiment, Vancou-  
ver, and Lieutenant Thomas, 50th  
Regiment, Victoria, all tied for first place,  
each having the possible score. The  
tie was decided by firing five shots  
each at 500 yards on the completion  
of the day's firing. Gunner McCallum  
made 24 in the shoot-off and wins the  
cup. The scores in shooting off were:  
Gunner McCallum—5, 5, 4, 5, 5—24.  
Lieutenant Thomas—4, 4, 5, 5, 5—23.  
Major Slater—5, 3, 5, 5, 5—23.  
C. S. M. Doyle—5, 3, 3, 5, 5—21.  
Color-Sergeant Anderson—4, 5, 5, 4, 4—  
retired.

The scores in this match follow:  
1 (\$7)—Color-Sergeant B. H. Anderson,  
88th Regiment, Victoria, 50.  
2 (\$7)—Color-Sergeant-Major Doyle,  
5th C. G. A., Victoria, 50.  
3 (\$7)—Gunner McCallum, 5th C. G. A.,  
50.  
4 (\$7)—Major Slater, 6th D. C. O. R.,  
Vancouver, 50.  
5 (\$7)—Lieutenant Thomas, 50th  
Regiment, Victoria, 50.  
6 (\$4.35)—Quartermaster-Sergeant  
Hatcher, 5th C. G. A., 49.  
7 (\$4.35)—Private Hughes, 50th Reg-  
iment, 49.  
9 (\$4)—Color-Sergeant Lowe, 88th  
Regiment, Victoria, 48.  
14 (\$3)—Bandmaster H. Pike, 88th  
Regiment, 49.  
16 (\$3)—A. E. Ash, Victoria R. A.,  
49.  
20 (\$2.50)—Private Hardwick, 50th  
Regiment, 48.  
21 (\$2.50)—Lance-Corporal Williams,  
H. S. Cadets, 48.  
24 (\$2.50)—Gunner Hutchison, 5th C.  
G. A., 48.  
27 (\$2)—Color-Sergeant W. R. Smith,  
50th Regiment, 48.  
35 (\$2)—Gunner Blomfield, 5th C. G. A.,  
48.  
37 (\$2)—Sergeant G. Cooney, 50th  
Regiment, 48.  
39 (\$2)—Sergeant Read, R. C. G. A.,  
Esquimalt, 48.  
40 (\$2)—Private Burton, 50th Reg-  
iment, 48.  
41 (\$2)—Sergeant Elliott, 50th Reg-  
iment, 47.  
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Esquimalt, 46.  
58 (\$1)—Gunner Tanner, 5th C. G. A.,  
46.

Victoria Match.

The Victoria match, which was shot  
concurrently with the Lieutenant-Governor's  
at 600 yards, was won by Cap-  
tain T. Cunningham with the possible  
score mentioned above. The following  
are the scores in this match:  
1 (cup and medal, \$10)—Captain  
Cunningham, 104th Regiment, New  
Westminster, 35.  
2 (\$8)—Sergeant-Major E. McDou-  
gall, 5th C. G. A., Victoria, 34.  
3 (\$6.50)—E. H. Beane, Victoria R. A.,  
34.  
7 (\$4)—Lieutenant Richardson, 50th  
Regiment, 34.  
8 (\$4)—Staff-Sergeant Carr, 5th C.  
G. A., 34.  
10 (\$4)—F. T. Murray, Victoria R. A.,  
34.  
11 (\$3)—Private D. Weir, 50th Reg-  
iment, Victoria, 34.  
15 (\$3)—Private Burton, 50th Reg-  
iment, 33.  
16 (\$3)—Sergeant DeCarteret, 5th C.  
G. A., 33.  
20 (\$2.50)—Sergeant Hawkins, 5th C.  
G. A., 33.  
22 (\$2.50)—Gunner McCallum, 5th C.  
G. A., 33.  
32 (\$2)—Gunner Mitchell, 5th C. G. A.,  
33.  
37 (\$2)—Gunner Hutchinson, 5th C.  
G. A., 32.  
38 (\$2)—Color-Sergeant Smith, 50th  
Regiment, 32.  
39 (\$2)—Sergeant Peacock, 50th Reg-  
iment, 32.  
40 (\$2)—Gunner Tanner, 5th C. G. A.,  
32.

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Regular 75¢. Sale price ..... 50¢  
Regular 90¢. Sale price ..... 60¢

Ladies' White Linen Aprons, good size and a fine wearing and laund-  
ering cloth—  
Regular 50¢. Sale price ..... 35¢  
Regular 75¢. Sale price ..... 60¢

Nurses' Aprons, with either square or round bibs and pockets—  
Regular 75¢. Sale price ..... 60¢  
Regular 90¢. Sale price ..... 75¢

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55 (\$2)—Gunner Addison, 5th C. G. A.,  
31.  
56 (\$1)—Sergeant Harding, 88th Reg-  
iment, 31.  
59 (\$1)—W. D. Brayshaw, Victoria  
R. A., 32.  
Captain Rae Wins.

The tie in which the Helmsken match  
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shots each at 600 yards. Captain W.  
Rae, 72nd S. H. of C., won, making an  
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fired again, making another bull. The  
competitors in this tie and their scores  
were:  
Captain W. Rae—5, 5, 5, 5, 5—25.  
Staff-Sergeant Carr, 5th C. G. A.—  
5, 5, 4, 5, 5—24.  
Captain Ferris, 5th D. C. A. R.—5, 4,  
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### FACTS AGAINST IT.

Acting, no doubt, on inspiration from Ottawa, Tory papers in the east are endeavoring to prove by statistics that Canada is exceedingly prosperous. The Montreal Gazette quotes from the trade returns, the banking statement and the report of the insurance business to show that economic conditions are better than they were when the Laurier government was in power. "The depression," it says, "has not put things back to the standard which was thought to represent high prosperity when the late Liberal government was in power."

This will be of particular interest to the thousands of unemployed in the city in which the Gazette is published and to those unfortunates who are struggling to keep bodies and souls together in the other cities of the Dominion. It will be of interest, likewise, to the proprietors of the factories of Ontario which have been closed down or are operating on half time. It will be of interest to the immigration officials of the federal government who are contemplating the deportation of thousands of people who have not been in the country for more than three years, while it may cheer up the big transportation companies whose traffic receipts have fallen off greatly and who are cutting down their steamship services between the Canadian ports and Europe.

The Gazette's attempt to prove by figures that the country is as prosperous as it was during the regime of Sir Wilfrid Laurier is pathetic. It ignores altogether the reports issued from the departments of the government which show a decline of several million dollars a month in revenue, of the large number of unemployed to be deported and of the falling immigration. Sir George E. Fether before 1896 tried to convince the people of Canada that they were prosperous by quoting statistics Sir Wilfrid's effective reply to this was that if he were returned it would not be necessary for the public to grope in the bluebooks to learn of their prosperity. They would only need to feel in their pockets. "The same retort may be made to the Gazette's deductions to-day. Do the pockets of the people of Canada contain the symbols of prosperity? We throw not."

### CARRANZA AND VILLA.

In the breach between Carranza and Villa lies the germ of another revolution in Mexico. Apparently the constitutional chief is anxious to disassociate himself from Villa, on the theory that further intimacy with that grim warrior would involve him in international difficulties and injure his standing in the eyes of the world. For instance, there is the Benton affair. Carranza, no doubt, knows all about it, but he does not want to be shouldered with any responsibility for it, which he certainly will be unless he can freeze Villa out of his circle of intimates.

Carranza's attitude is peculiarly Mexican. He himself has done little but act as the figurehead of the revolution. He has confined himself to the "diplomatic" business, while Villa, Obregon and the other generals were doing the only work that mattered. Without Villa's victories Huerta would not now be a fugitive, though his retirement would have occurred in time, and Carranza would not now be the victorious chief of the revolution about to dictate terms to the provisional president at Mexico City. The constitutional leader will find it hard to rid himself of his most successful general and harder still to dislodge him from the confidence and admiration of the soldiers he so often led to victory. On the other hand, Villa's gory record does not suggest that he is the sort of man to stand meekly outside the palace when the door is slammed in his face.

### "WE HAVE SINNED!"

The army worm, whatever he may be and we trust for the sake of British Columbia we never shall find out, is marching at an extraordinary rate through the province of Ontario, leaving devastation in his wake. At one time the farmers of the eastern provinces thought the Colorado beetle, or potato bug, was something of a scourge, but the army worm has him beaten to a frazzle, or something less than a frazzle. The worm is an omnivorous insect (if he is an insect). He devours everything he encounters that he can insert his teeth into, and he does it so quickly that whole farms are laid waste in a night. His appearances are sudden and mysterious. No one seems to know with certainty from whence he comes. All that is positively known is that he descends simultaneously upon parts of the country hundreds, sometimes thousands, of miles apart, just as though the campaign were intelligently pre-arranged and concerted in accordance with highly scientific military methods. According to the stories of some farmers, they would just about as soon see a flame of fire sweep over their possessions as a strong contingent of the terrible army worm. Considering the many and various calamities that have befallen this country of late, what other conclusion can be reached than that the people are being punished for the Great Hallucination of 1911, when a government under which Canada had made such progress as astonished the world was voted out to give place to the Borden administration? We do not know precisely how many plagues have been sent to torment us, but surely the army worm must be about the sixth, and it has been poured upon Ontario, which was the worst sinner of all the nine provinces. Probably the day of atonement will not be at an end until we acknowledge our transgression by turning the Borden government out.

### WHAT AILED THE CAT?

At a recent meeting of the Occult Club in London a woman speaker declared that the pet cat of the Empress of Ireland evidently had a message from the spirit world warning her of impending disaster, for just before the vessel sailed, "she hurried down the gangway tearing her two kittens in her mouth and nothing would induce her to return to the ship. She took up her abode in a shed and at the very moment the ship went down she was heard to emit a loud meow."

This story will not obtain any widespread belief, because it flies in the face of the well-established tradition of feline vitality. Having nine lives, there was no occasion for nervousness on the part of this particular cat even though it received a bona fide warning from that part of the spirit world reserved for deceased members of its species. Between the mother and her two kittens there were twenty-seven lives equally distributed, assuming, of course, that the young ones have as many lives as their parent. Even if the kittens could only boast four lives and a half each the sum total rolled up by the three would be eighteen, and what would the loss of three amount to in such a total? They could participate in several more wrecks and still have lives to spare. No, our experience with cats tells us the lecturer at the Occult Club was wrong. If that cat with her two kittens left the vessel before it started on its ill-starred trip it was because she preferred the flavor of the mice to be caught in the immigration shed.

### NEW BRUNSWICK DISCLOSURES.

Prominent Canadian newspapers, irrespective of politics, are devoting considerable space to the sordid story that is being told before the royal commission in New Brunswick. They conceive it to be their duty to the public to do so, not only because of the consideration of news but because it is in the interests of clean politics and for the good of the country that the testimony given by the various witnesses should be published. A community which resents the public disclosure of wrongdoing on the part of those entrusted with the management of its affairs lives in a fool's paradise. Its own people are the worst sufferers from the suppression of known facts, for by encouraging the continuation of political corruption they are undermining their own welfare.

In this particular case the honor of a premier and his associates is involved. It is not denied that timber lessees had to pay tribute to a party campaign fund on a regular basis; that the collector was an official of the provincial government; that he has fled to the United States and Premier Flemming declines to raise a finger to induce him to return to give testimony before the commission; that the Premier benefited personally from the fund exacted from the timber men to the extent, at least, of a loan which he was able to engage in private business operations. It has been established that a railway was subsidized by the Dominion and New Brunswick governments to the extent of double its cost; that the federal government engineered the outrageous operations of

its promoters; and now we have the definite charge that H. F. McLeod, former provincial treasurer and present federal member for York, received the sum of \$1,500 for using his influence in connection with a sub-contract on the construction of the line. It was the contractor himself who made the charge and his testimony has the corroboration of his partner.

There can be only one outcome to these disclosures. The Flemming administration will have to go. Enough has been admitted to seal its fate. But if there is any public conscience in New Brunswick it will not rest until those who promoted this saturnalia of corruption are fittingly punished. Until this is done the good name of the province will bear a stain for in the last analysis the world holds the people of a country responsible for the course pursued by their government. If they tolerate corrupt practices by their representative men it is because they themselves are steeped in corruption. Self interest, if nothing else, should prompt the people of New Brunswick to demand the most rigorous treatment of those who are shown to have betrayed their trust.

### HOARDING FOR A PURPOSE.

Sir Felix Schuster, the eminent London financial authority, says that France, Germany and Russia have increased their accumulation of gold in the last twelve months by £60,000,000. These additions to the reserves were not due to commercial or financial conditions but were the result of a deliberate policy.

In other words, the three chief militarist powers of Europe have been filling up their war chests. This process has gone hand in hand with the increase of their armies. It proves that although the dove of peace has been indulging in experimental flights on the continent, it always has had a strong cord attached to one of its delicate limbs. Russia, Germany and France are perspiring in a fever of mutual distrust and suspicion and the only element which is deriving any benefit from their unhappy predicament is the greedy octopus which fashions the implements of war.

The prosecution of the Chiropractors by the agents of the medical association has caused considerable inquiry respecting the meaning of the word Chiropractic and the methods or system of its practitioners. The school or cult is of comparatively recent origin, and neither the dictionaries nor encyclopedias, except those of very late date, give much space to it. Neither the Britannica nor the Century mentions it. Webster disposes of it in a couple of lines as a drugless method of treating disease chiefly by manipulation of the spinal column. Neison's Encyclopedia says Chiropractic is "a system of therapeutic treatment for various diseases through the adjusting of articulations of the human body, particularly those of the spine, with the object of relieving pressure or tension upon nerve filaments. The operations are performed by the hands, no drugs being administered. In 1912 there were seven schools in the United States in which chiropractic manipulation was taught, and there were about four thousand practitioners of the system, some of these in Canada." Chiropractors literally are hand practitioners, we suppose, the word being derived from a Greek root signifying the hand.

The editor of the Winnipeg Saturday Post, a Roblin supporter, declares that the opposition conducted a campaign of reckless lying and misrepresentation. He follows this with the assertion that he writes without the "slightest bitterness." If calling his political opponents reckless liars does not betray bitterness on the part of this particular editor, it would be a liberal education in the possibilities of the language to read what he says when he is only slightly bitter.

What reason can be advanced for the suppression by Sir Richard's organ of the startling proofs of graft and corruption in New Brunswick, as published in every other paper in Canada? There is a reason. What is it?

The law is a wonderful thing. The chiropractors were punished because they advertised their profession. That they helped sufferers, and cured them by manipulation or massage, was in no way a palliation of the awful crime of which they were convicted.

Is it a fact that the Council of Physicians and Surgeons instigated the prosecution of the chiropractors? The Times has been informed that as a council the physicians and surgeons know nothing about the prosecution.

Lawn tennis and fly-fishing at Duncan have been displaced for the time being by dog shooting. The "sport" has spread so quickly that it is now a menace to all dogs—the good as well as the bad.

### IDEALISM'S FAILING.

It is possible for the practical man to cherish high ideals, of course. But the man who gives himself over to pure idealism becomes incapacitated for the workaday affairs and compromises and patchwork of real life.

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### CHAMBERLAIN AND ROOSEVELT.

Philadelphia Record.  
The late Joseph Chamberlain was a man of such remarkable ability as a political organizer that in his younger days he was regarded as the English counterpart of the American boss, relying largely for results upon the perfection of his machine. His rise to power was looked upon as likely to graft American methods upon English politics. These gloomy predictions have not been verified, and John Bull's political ways still remain his own. In a way Mr. Chamberlain was like our own T. R.—he found it hard to play a secondary role. In turn he managed to disrupt the Liberal and Conservative parties, and he died disliked by both without having attained the object of his ambitions. From present indications T. R. is likely to continue to make this comparison good. He smashed the G. O. P., and now he is disorganizing the Progressives.

### SOBRIETY GROWS.

Philadelphia Record.  
But there is no question whatever that it is too late in the world's history for any man to drink freely, and all employers, commercial and governmental, are increasingly opposed to men who drink at all. Several ships in the British navy are "dry," and there is some expectation of a general order to that effect. All alcoholic drinks have been barred from the Norwegian navy. The Kaiser is not drinking anything now and has commanded total abstinence to the naval cadets, telling them that the next war would be won by the nation which drank the least. The Czar is discouraging the use of liquors among officers, and the Russian war ministry is trying to check the use of vodka. In France and Germany many scientists and government officials, civil and military, are devoting their influence and examples to total abstinence.

### THE FLAG WAVE.

Ottawa Citizen.  
A scoundrel is associated with a certain amount of daring and nerve, in the mind of the ordinary man. And a scoundrel is generally known and recognized. But the real flag waver is a different breed of animal, as a rule. He lacks nerve and daring. He is pretty much coward and all hypocrite. He is short of brain but long of tongue, and the ignorant and thoughtless are his victims, and the narrow-minded and bigoted his tools. The flag waver is not a new development in political discussion, and is closely related to the jingoist. The common bond of sympathy between them is that neither is anxious to participate in the trouble he is trying to foment.

### FORGOTTEN OR DEFEATED.

St. John, N. B., Telegraph.  
This government has done little to prepare the country during the present session for a defeat favorable to the ministry. The "emergency" and the high patriotic fervor which assisted the government into power have been forgotten of late. Mr. Borden's naval policy is still indefinite and undecided. His "emergency" policy is dead. Working back from his emergency to his famous Halifax platform, the observer will note that the main policies and the declared purposes of the administration have been either forgotten or defeated.

### MISS ANGLIN'S HUSBAND.

Ottawa Free Press.  
Miss Margaret Anglin (Mrs. Hull), the famous Canadian actress, who is protesting against the reproduction in Canadian newspapers of a grossly unfair and sensational article about her husband, published in a New York yellow journal. Miss Anglin need not worry. Her Canadian friends who read the article of which she complains were thoroughly able to discern the earmarks of unfair sensationalism. Miss Anglin's theatrical business is pretty extensive and her manager, though he be her husband, probably finds that he has an ample share of hard work.

### DIME NOVEL VS. SEX NOVEL.

Pittsburg Gazette-Times.  
So far as morals were concerned, the old dime novel was a Sunday school book compared to our modern problem novels, disgusting and erotic, with the accent on the second syllable. The only "problem" was whether the villain would get it in the neck in the final chapter or in the one just before. There was never any doubt in the mind of the youthful reader that virtue would triumph. If undue emphasis was laid on the heroic qualities of the train robber, at least the lesson of some good in the worst of us was taught.

### HARD ON BRITISH AUDIENCES.

Brantford Expositor.  
Mr. Martin Harvey, in an interview given on his return to London, stated that in Canada "the audience pay more attention to the National Anthem at the close of theatrical performances than we do here." How they could pay less attention than in this country passes understanding. The orchestra has to cut the air short to secure even a semblance of respect, in this part of the Dominion at least.

### THE LAST IS DIFFICULT.

Montreal Herald-Telegraph.  
Premier Borden is preparing for a trip through the prairie provinces. Last time the principal stock-in-trade for his western speeches was the promise that he would give the prairie provinces the control of their natural resources. We wonder what his promise will be this time—and how he will make them believe he is going to keep it.

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An extraordinary offering of Ladies' Waists that will create a big stir in the Waist department on Saturday morning. We are making a special clean-up of some of our better grade Waists previous to stock-taking, and have grouped a very choice assortment into a price that means a typical Spencer Bargain. See window display for samples. The lot contains black taffeta silk in sizes 32 and 34 only; black voile, black muslin, also Shirt and Lingerie Waists in black and white ratine and crepe in fancy striped effects; also linenette with colored collars and crossbar muslins and vestings with French collars and turn-back cuffs. A most serviceable assortment, containing nearly all sizes. Every waist a great bargain. Regular values to \$2.90. Saturday your choice at.....75c

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### We Place on Sale a Most Desirable Lot of Summer Coats at \$1.90

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These Coats are made from fine quality reps in three-quarter and full-lengths, and most serviceable styles for summer wear. They are light in weight, cool and comfortable to wear. Some are quite plain, others are smartly finished with pipings and others with brass or fancy buttons. Coats that sell in the regular way at \$6.75 and \$7.50. An extraordinary opportunity for you to secure one on Saturday afternoon at.....\$1.90

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### Ladies' Small Size Corsets

Values to \$2.50, to Clear at 75c

Do you take size 18 in Corsets? If you do here's your chance to secure a splendid pair of Corsets at a ridiculously low price. These Corsets are made from strong coutil. Medium bust, long hips and back, and it's only because there is but one size—and that a small one—that we make this extraordinary offer. Only a limited quantity, so be here sharp on time. Regular values to \$2.50, for.....75c

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### Clearing Out the Balance of Our Trimmed Hats

Saturday at \$2.50

A final clearance of all Trimmed Hats that were formerly marked at \$10.00 and \$12.00. Beautiful models in this assortment, and the quality, together with the very low price, should cause them to sell out quickly.

### Children's Summer Hats

Values to \$2.50

Clearing at 50c

This lot represents the balance of our Children's Summer Millinery. They are bargains worth securing and there's a nice assortment of styles and materials to choose from.

—Second Floor

### To Ladies Who Need Novelty Bags

Note These Specials for Saturday Morning.

There will be a rush for these Bags as soon as the doors open to-morrow morning at 8.30, so be on hand early.  
Colored Silk Novelty Bags, 6 only. Regular values to \$5.00, for, each.....\$1.00  
Leather Bags, Regular \$1.50 value for \$1.00  
Colored Suede Bags, in a nice assortment. Regular \$1.00 value for.....75c

—Main Floor

### Clearing Broken Lots and Sizes in Men's Gauntlet Gloves

Values to \$3.00 for \$1.75

Sharp at 8.30 Saturday morning we shall proceed to clear out these broken lots and sizes in Men's Gauntlet Gloves. They are just the sort of gloves you need for motoring or driving. Take advantage of this sale and secure a pair.

Regular value \$3.00 for, per pair.....\$1.75  
Men's Tan Kid Driving or Auto Gloves, with soft gauntlet, unlined, all sizes, 15 pairs only. Regular value \$3.75, for, per pair.....\$1.75  
Men's Black Kid Gauntlet Motor Gloves, unlined, all sizes, 17 pairs only. Regular value \$2.75, for, per pair.....\$1.75  
Men's Fine Tan Kid Gauntlet Gloves, for motor driving, unlined, sizes up to 9, 13 pairs only. Regular value \$2.50, for, per pair.....\$1.75

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### Specials in Ladies' Whitewear

Cotton Gowns, of good quality, made in slip-over style, kimono sleeve, round neck of embroidery, neck and sleeves neatly finished with embroidery. Special value at.....85c  
Heavy Cotton Gowns, another style, has open front, tucked yoke, high neck and 3/4 sleeves, neck and sleeves finished with frill of self and edged with lace. Special at.....85c  
Drawers, of strong cotton, finished with two hemstitched tucks, and others with plain hemstitched hem; all sizes. Per pair.....25c  
Corset Cover, of nice soft cotton crepe, yoke of fine linen lace, neck and armholes edged with lace, all sizes. Special at.....40c  
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The results of a special purchase of the balance of a well known manufacturer's stock. We took his entire balance of these Gloves at a big discount. That's how it is that we can offer you to-day gloves of this high grade, for so little. They are real chamois gloves, and can be had in white and natural, 12 or 16-button length. Every pair fully guaranteed. Make sure of yours by purchasing to-day. Per pair.....\$1.00

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### Children's Lingerie Dresses Clearing at Half-Price

Exactly one-half their regular prices, and as the dresses themselves are excellent qualities they should sell out quickly to-day. There are dresses in fine lawns, muslins and embroideries; some prettily trimmed with Valenciennes lace and others with embroidery and ribbons. All sizes from 2 to 14 years. Regular values from \$2.00 to \$11.50, clearing at \$1.00 to.....\$5.75

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## "LAND REGISTRY ACT."

IN THE MATTER of an application for a fresh Certificate of Title to Victoria City Lot 1941.

NOTICE is hereby given of my intention at the expiration of one calendar month from the first publication hereof to issue a fresh Certificate of Title, in lieu of the Certificate of Title issued to Clara Pennock on the 24th day of April, 1902, and numbered 7855 C, which has been lost.

DATED at the Land Registry Office, Victoria, British Columbia, this 27th day of June, 1914.

S. Y. WOOTTON,  
Registrar-General of Titles.

## COMPETITION FOR DESIGNS.

The Victoria and Island Development Association offers three premiums—1st \$20.00, 2nd \$10.00 and 3rd \$5.00—for design of a showcard with calendar feature attached, 18 ins. x 14 ins., containing reading matter.

Also two premiums, one of \$30.00, first prize, and one of \$15.00, second prize, for designs of front and back cover of a booklet, 8 ins. x 4 ins.

The competition is limited to the residents of Victoria.

Full particulars, with conditions of competition, can be had at the office of the Association, Board of Trade Building. The designs to be sent in to the undersigned, anonymously, with the names of the competitors and means of identification in separate envelopes, not later than August 1, 1914.

HERBERT CUTBERT,  
Commissioner.

## NOTICE CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF SAANICH

Notice is hereby given that under the Revenue By-Law, 1914, all licenses for carrying on trades, occupations or professions in the District of Saanich were due and payable on the 15th day of July to the Collector of the Municipality at his office at Royal Oak, and that the same must be paid forthwith.

By order,  
HECTOR S. COWPER,  
C. M. C.

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## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Wm. Stewart, Men's and Ladies' Tailor shop, Campbell building, corner Fort and Douglas streets.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 784 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339. 2612 Bridge street.

For Fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

Wanted to Purchase.—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited. Merchants' Bank building.

Lawn Mower Hospital, 614 Cormorant. Successful operations daily.

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Sewing Machines to rent. Phone 4618.

Like the Hindus, the lawn needs the hose turned on. 50 feet wire-bound hose, \$5.50; 50 feet cotton hose, \$6.50. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

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If You Want a Truck or Express Wagon or Tally-Ho for picnics, phone 623. Cameron and Caldwell. Phone 693. 829 Johnson.

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Fine Trips Around the Sound weekly by S. S. President or Governor. Phone P. C. S. S. Co. for particulars.

Centennial Board.—The office board of the Centennial Methodist church will hold its quarterly meeting this evening at 8 o'clock in the church parlors.

Painless Methods—for the extraction of Teeth. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St. Open evenings.

Free Rose Show, largest and best stock in the province. Lansdowne Floral Gardens, 1591 Hillside Ave., Victoria, B. C. Two blocks from car.

Sewing Machines for sale, 1105 Douglas.

Are Your Teeth Sound?—If not come in and let me examine them. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government St.

Not Going to Leave.—The files are not going to leave for some time. Better fit your house with window screens. Adjustable screens, 15 to 58½ inches wide, 25c to 75c. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Don't Buy Off Agents, come and see our roses in bloom and then you will know what you are buying. Lansdowne Floral Gardens, 1591 Hillside Ave., Victoria, B. C. Two blocks from car.

The Summer Price at the Crystal theatre is only 5 cents. Good pictures, good music. Amateurs on Wednesday eve.

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Haven't Tried It Yet?—You're missing the best thing going in the city. The Business Men's Lunch at The Kaiserhof.

\$2.80 Per Acre Per Annum is the amount we charge as rental for as good land as lies out of doors. You can have five years to lease and five years to purchase. The land is situated in the growing districts of Parksville and Qualicum. Full particulars from Vancouver Island Fruit Lands, Ltd., Carmichael & Moorhead, Ltd., 608 Belmont House, city. Phone 1914.

Naval Volunteers.—The naval volunteers are parading almost nightly in preparation for the visit of H. R. H. the governor-general. There will be a marchout of the company on Tuesday evening.

Island Manufacturers.—The board of trade is arranging to get together an exhibit of Vancouver Island manufactures, for the inspection of the members of the imperial trade commission when it comes here in October.

Highlanders Parade.—There was a muster of the 50th Highlanders last evening and a parade through several streets, behind the band and pipers, to Central park, where battalion drill was carried out in the presence of a large number of spectators. Next week the parade will be through the downtown streets.

Bush Fire in Saanich.—Forty-five men under Constable Dryden, of Saanich, were engaged for several hours fighting a bush fire at the Burnside subdivision, near Glynn station on the B. C. Electric railway, during yesterday afternoon and evening. Ultimately the fire was got under control before midnight.

Visited Keatings.—J. C. Readey, provincial crop commissioner, and H. Newton, his assistant, yesterday visited the Keatings district and examined a number of the wheat fields there which are to enter the field crop competitions. Among those judged were Dean Brothers' and A. Thompson's.

Solicitor Suspended.—At the last meeting of the benchers of the Law society a complaint made by Hynek Ventura against Alan Fairfax Crossman, Esq., a barrister and solicitor of the supreme court of B. C. was heard. Mr. Crossman did not appear. The finding of the benchers is now set in the B. C. Gazette, and is that the lawyer be suspended from practice for six months from July 6 for professional misconduct.

Esquimalt Sets Example.—An example is being set to the city by the neighboring municipality of Esquimalt, where men have been put to work cutting down the thistles that are growing along the roads and on municipal property. In the city, property owners are being fined for their neglect, but although the police have notified the city engineer's department in an almost endless number of cases where thistles are growing on city property no action has been taken yet to do as owners are being properly compelled to do.

Special Survey of Duncan.—Notice is given by the attorney-general that the plan of the special survey of the city of Duncan, made for the purpose of correcting errors in existing plans, with a statement of the cost to be levied against the city and the lands affected, has been filed with the provincial secretary. Any complaints will be heard by C. K. Courtney, at the city hall, Duncan, on Monday, August 24. The cost of the survey has been \$1,750.28, of which \$495.38 has been charged against the city and \$1,254.90 against the owners of lands.

Rain Spreading South.—It is probable that Victoria may not entirely escape the rainbelt which has been hovering along the northern British Columbia coast for the past fortnight, as the latest weather reports show that this is gradually moving southward and has now touched the north end of Vancouver island, Triangle Island and reporting heavy rain yesterday. Up to the present Victoria has been singularly fortunate and has had no rain whatever this month as yet. The Cariboo district is still enjoying the summer showers, and there is no abatement of the downpour at Prince Rupert and other northern points. Desperate and other northern points. Desperate and other northern points. Desperate and other northern points.

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, July 24, 1889.

A petition has been sent to the city council claiming \$50,000 damages from the city for retarding the water flowing down Colquitz creek, caused, it is said, by the dam at Beaver Lake. The petitioners are Joseph Carey, J. Griffiths, M. Rowland, Weir, Lindsay, and several others. They have engaged local legal talent.

A rumor was current on the street to-day that Mr. Drake had signified his intention of accepting the position of Supreme Court judge offered by Sir John A. Macdonald.

It is learned to-day that the Oregon Railway and Navigation Company is having plans and specifications prepared for a new and first-class steamer for the Victoria-Sound route. The speed of the new steamer will be 13 miles an hour.

The new steam fire engine ordered from Messrs. Merryweather and Sons, of London, Eng., for this city, will be one of the best of this cost. Four streams of water can be thrown from the engine on a fire, and the capacity will be 750 gallons a minute.

School Name Changed.—The name of Lancaster school district has been changed to Shoreacres school district by the council of public instruction.

Discharged With Warning.—It having been found that Herbert Houslow, who was found sleeping in a hay-shed in Beacon Hill park, has work to go to as he stated yesterday, he was discharged from custody to-day with a warning.

Preaches Farewell Sermon.—Rev. Frank Pratt preaches his last sermon before leaving Victoria on Sunday morning at the Unitarian church. He takes up work in the autumn in Norfolk, Va., leaving Victoria on the three o'clock boat, for Vancouver, Sunday afternoon.

May Take Eight Books.—Miss Stewart, librarian at the public library, has made a special holiday regulation in connection with the lending of books, by which borrowers who are leaving on holidays may take away eight volumes on each ticket. The privilege will be available until October 1, but may only be taken advantage of once.

Supreme Court Registry.—The growth of the interior of the province, and the resulting legal business, has led the government to decide on the establishment of a registry of the supreme court at Fort George, in the county of Cariboo, from Sept. 1. Thomas Webster Herne, government agent at that place, is to be the registrar.

Provincial Appointments.—Appointments gazetted this week are those of Police Magistrate George Jay, to be police magistrate for the municipality of Esquimalt; Lancelot Hull Sheffield, Victoria, to be a notary public and commissioner for taking affidavits; Stewart E. St. George, Sorrento, James E. Paulding, Craigellachie, and Cyril W. Stirling, Deer park, to be justices of the peace.

Organized Institute.—Mrs. Hutchinson, who represented the department of agriculture at the organization meeting of the Langford women assisted on Wednesday last in organizing a women's institute there, and gave the ladies many useful suggestions for the formation of the organization and the carrying on of the work. Forty members were enrolled, and the officers were installed.

Officers Qualify.—Officers of the 102nd regiment, "Rocky Mountain Rangers," Nelson, who have obtained certificates as a result of examinations at the Vernon camp, are Captain H. W. Clark and Lieutenants R. H. Sawyer, E. T. Petar, C. G. Rose, Lieutenants, C. Harvey, W. H. Moodie, A. Brooks, C. E. Sjogquist, W. L. Ford, E. A. Lacey, A. R. Grant, G. H. Brock, G. E. Scott, G. S. Gordon and S. D. Dunn. Lt.-Col. J. D. Taylor, M. P. of the 104th regiment, New Westminster, has obtained a field officer's certificate, following the staff course held at Work Point barracks recently.

Presentation Made.—At the social evening held at the Y. W. C. A. on Wednesday last, an especially interesting feature was the presentation to Miss Fawcett, a member of the board of management, of a purse of gold, this being presented by the Y. W. C. A. president, Mrs. Adams, on behalf of the association, and in recognition of the valuable services given by Miss Fawcett during the absence of the secretary, Miss Bradshaw. The evening was pleasantly passed with social pastimes. Mrs. D. C. Reid singing a number of much-appreciated solos, and Miss Collis providing pianoforte selections. Miss Cochrane acted as accompanist. Later in the evening delicious refreshments were served.

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Mr. Manufacturer, half of your battle is won when you have aroused the interest of the local dealer.

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All advertising has merit, but the advertising that is going to produce direct sales is the advertising that appears in the daily newspapers.

Worth While Savings at J. N. Harvey's.

Delinquent Tax Sale.—The corporation of North Cowichan will hold a sale of lands for delinquent taxes at the courthouse, Chemainus, on August 12.

Allowed Thistles to Grow.—Fines of five dollars in each case were imposed by the police magistrate to-day in the thistle cases against S. O. Bailey, E. Schaper and Wong Sing. The latter pleaded guilty through J. Percival Walls, and blamed the man he ordered to cut the weeds down for failing to do as he was told.

Fined for Chimney Fire.—D. W. Hanbury was to-day fined \$25 for allowing a fire to occur in one of the chimneys of the Golden West Bakery building. Mr. Hanbury explained that the chimney is cleaned every month but the last time it was done by a new man who had cleaned only two flues instead of three.

Lady Douglas Chapter.—There will be a special meeting of the Lady Douglas Chapter of the I. O. D. E. at the King's Daughters' rest room on Monday afternoon at 2.30, when reports of the various committees in charge of the recent garden fete will be submitted. Owing to the important character of the business a large attendance of members is hoped for.

Partnership Alleged.—R. White was to-day charged in police court with stealing \$2.50, the property of Claude J. Browne. He pleaded not guilty, claiming that he and Browne had an agreement to share equally in the profits of taking photographs. Browne denied this and said White was only an employee. An adjournment was granted until to-morrow to allow of bringing a witness from Tod Inlet.

\$14.75 Buys a Nice Smart Suit at J. N. Harvey's Clearance Sale.

Cow-testing Associations.—The provincial department of agriculture granted certificates of incorporation to two cow-testing associations. These are the Comox Valley association, covering the school districts of Grantham, Puntledge, Courtenay, Comox, Little River and Minto, with head office at Courtenay; and the Langley-Surrey association, covering Cloverdale district and Langley and Surrey municipalities, with head office at Cloverdale.

Flower Sunday.—The James Bay Methodist church is taking advantage of the wealth of beautiful flowers now found in the gardens of Victoria and has planned for a special "Flower Sunday" for July 26. The church will be filled with flowers and singing birds and the color scheme for the decorations is to be white and pink. The "Message of the Flowers" will be given in song and address and an attractive musical programme is being provided by the children and young people assisted by the choir and orchestra. The service in the morning is for the children and the evening service is planned especially for young people. The Sunday school is holding an open session in the afternoon and the programme will be given by the primary class with a short lantern talk following.

New Companies.—The following companies have received certificates of incorporation under the Companies act during the past week: Beaver River Lumber Co., Ltd., capital \$50,000, head office, New Westminster; Charles A. Newhall Co., Ltd., Vancouver, \$10,000; Governor Oil Co., Ltd., non-personal liability, Vancouver, \$2,000,000; Nanaimo Transport & Trading Co., Ltd., \$15,000, Victoria; Vancouver Drug Co., Ltd., \$100,000; Vancouver Scale-Truck Co., Ltd., \$300,000; Westminster & Pitt Meadows Oil Co., Ltd., non-personal liability, \$500,000, Vancouver; Windebank, Ltd., \$400,000, Vancouver; Willow-Chillico Land Co., \$5,000, South Fort George; Frank Waterhouse & Co.; National Art Novelty Co., and Sherwood Bros. are registered as extra-provincial companies. Minneapolis Fire and Marine Insurance Co. and National Plate Glass Insurance Co. are licensed to transact business in British Columbia.

## COLUMBIA



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## August Records

Another big list of remarkable records—the Columbia list of famous Double-Discs for August—has just come to hand. There are several features in this list that will appeal to all owners of Columbia or Victor instruments, remembering that the Columbia Double-Disc record is the best record that money can buy, and that it gives eminent satisfaction on either Columbia or Victor instruments.

Below Are Listed Just a Few Selected Titles

"La Prophete" (Meyerbeer). "Ah, Mon Fils" (Oh, My Son), Otilie Metzger, Contralto. In French, with Orchestra.  
"Samson and Delilah" (Saint-Saens). "Amour Vient Aider" (Love, Lend Me Thine Aid), Otilie Metzger, Contralto. In French, with Orchestra.  
"Serenata" (Tosti), Carolina White, Soprano. In Italian, with Orchestra.  
"L'Ultima Canzone" (Tosti) (The Last Song), Carolina White. In Italian, with Orchestra.  
"Un Ballo in Maschera" (Verdi). "Tis Thou Hast Sullied" (Louis Kreidler, Baritone. In English, with Orchestra.  
"Pavlova Gavotte" (The Glow-Worm), (Lincke). Prince's Orchestra.  
"Love's Melody" (Dandierff), Hesitation Waltz, Prince's Band.  
"Pavlova" (Air de Ballet), (Ben-dix), Prince's Orchestra.  
"Kathlyn" (Smith), Hesitation Waltz, Prince's Band.  
"Joan Waltz" (Sawyer), Joan Sawyer's Persian Garden Orchestra.  
"Medley of Harry Lauder Songs" (Lauder), Prince's Orchestra.  
"Moonlight Waltz" (Holmes), Prince's Orchestra.  
"Bregoire" (Rio Brazilian Maxixe), Joan Sawyer's Persian Garden Orchestra.  
"Patriotic Medley" (Bernstein), One-Step, Prince's Band.  
"La Brulante" (Winne), One-Step, Prince's Band.  
"You Planted a Rose in the Garden of Love" (Bail), Henry Burr, Tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"Over the Alpine Mountains" (Fischer), Albert Campbell, 1st Tenor, and Henry Burr, 2nd Tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"My Love Would Fill a Thousand Hearts" (Helf), Manuel Roman, Counter-Tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"When You Play in the Game of Love" (Feist), George W. Ballard, Tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"Gone Are the Days" ("Z"), Charles Harrison, Tenor. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"I'm Coming Back to Dixie and You" (Lyons, Yosco and Mul-lane), Fearless Quartette. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"When You're All Dressed Up and No Place to Go" (Hein), William Halliday, Baritone. Orchestra accompaniment.  
"Good-bye, Broadway" (Bernstein), Ed. Morton, Baritone, and Fearless Quartette. Orchestra accompaniment.

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Bank Opens Branch.—The Imperial Bank of Canada is opening a branch on Douglas street in the B. C. Permanent building on Monday, July 27. This is a sub-branch to the main office, and W. H. Swan will be accountant-in-charge.

Trap-Shooting at Esquimalt.—Under the auspices of the Esquimalt Gun club, an exhibition of trap shooting will be given by C. E. Mink, the well known champion of Canada at this branch of sport, on Sunday next, July 26. The club will also hold its usual practice shoot, commencing 10 a. m., and a large muster is expected.

Timber for Sale.—The department of forestry is calling for tenders, to be in by August 25, for the purchase of 1,013,000 feet and 2,269,000 feet of timber in the vicinity of Kitsequequa Indian reserve, Cassiar district, three years being allowed for its removal;

and by September 25 for the purchase of 3,369,000 feet of timber adjoining lot 2390 and south of Andimaul, Cassiar district, the same time being given for cutting it.

Men's Shirts. Regular values to \$1.75. Sale Price, \$1.00. J. N. Harvey, Ltd.

## IN THE MATTER OF THE NOTCH HILL BUILDERS' SUPPLY COMPANY, LIMITED.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the purchase of the whole of the assets of the Notch Hill Builders' Supply Company, Limited, comprising: Lease of Clay, Machinery, Railroads, Implements, Beliers, Plants and Effects, now owned by the above Company, and situate at Nanaimo Bay. The lowest or any tender not necessary to be accepted. Tenders to be delivered to the Official Liquidator, J. Fred Noble, of Mathers & Noble, 302 Bank of Ottawa Building, Vancouver, B. C., on or before the 3rd day of August, 1914. J. FRED NOBLE, J.P., Official Liquidator. Dated the 15th day of July 1914.



# Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

## IRIS AT BANFIELD TO DO CABLE WORK

Steamship Reached West Coast Port This Morning; Has New Operators

To carry out some new work for the Pacific Cable board, the steamship Iris arrived at Banfield this morning, according to advices received by the Times from the west coast. It was expected that the Iris would have come to Victoria before starting out on her work, but as the call was not necessary her captain did not attempt to do so. The steamship was ordered north from Australian waters to do the job, and her last port of call was Honolulu. She cleared from the Hawaiians one week ago last Tuesday, and made a rather slow passage up the Pacific.

The work of laying the new cable from Banfield to Victoria will be done under the direction of J. Milward, manager of the Pacific Cable board. The new cable will be used to relieve the pressure of work over the present line, which runs from Banfield to Nanaimo and thence to Vancouver. The line now in service has suffered greatly during the bad winter weather and the new wire will ensure the delivery of messages throughout the year.

It is intended also to use the new cable to take care of heavy traffic at night when the deferred business is being handled, an arrangement being contemplated with the C. P. R. telegraph to give the cable board connection at Victoria for Vancouver, thus giving Vancouver two outlets to Banfield.

## NEW OPERATORS

Mr. Milward's headquarters are in Sydney, Australia, and when the work is completed he will return there on the Iris accompanied by several operators from Banfield who will be replaced by men from Australia who come on the Iris for that purpose.

## ROBERT DOLLAR SPOKEN

To take on bunker coal, the British steamship Robert Dollar, Capt. Macdonald, was reported calling at Colon, Chile, yesterday on her way from Genoa Bay to New York with a cargo of lumber.

Gentleness and cheerfulness, these come before all morality—they are the duties of your morals make you dreary, depend upon it they are wrong. I do not say "give them up" for they may be all you have, but conceal them, like a vice, lest they should spoil the lives of better men.—R. L. Stevenson.

## CHRISTIAN MICHELSON LONG WAY OFF COAST

Ship Reported to Be Bringing Hindus Loads Coal Cargo at Welsh Port

Vancouver, July 24.—Information reached here today that the Norwegian steamship Christian Michelson, which rumor has stated is near Cape Flattery with another complement of Hindus for Vancouver, is nowhere near this coast. In fact she is on the other side of the world, for two weeks ago she was at the little Welsh coasting port of Penarth, having arrived there on July 1 from Rotterdam. She left Rotterdam on June 28. Penarth is four miles from Cardiff, the big coal port, and it is understood the Christian Michelson was loading for Penarth. The Christian Michelson, which has been stated to be coming here from Hongkong, with a second complement of Hindus, was built at South Shields, Eng., in 1906. She is a Norwegian vessel registered at Bergen and is 341 feet long, 46 feet 6 inches beam and 24 feet 7 inches depth. She is 2,292 tons net and 3,554 tons gross. She is fitted with three cylinder triple expansion engines.

## NEW YORK ARRIVAL

July 23.  
Finland, Red Star, Antwerp.  
President Grant, Hamburg-American, Hamburg.  
St. Louis, American, Southampton.  
Taormina, Italian, Naples.  
Helle Olat, Scandinavian-American, Christiania.  
Kuerfuerst, North German Lloyd, Bremen.  
Kronprinzessin Cecilie, North German Lloyd, Bremen.  
Koenig Albert, Hamburg American, Hamburg.  
Kronprinz Wilhelm, North German Lloyd, Bremen.  
Prinzess Irene, North German Lloyd, Bremen.  
Baltic, White Star, Liverpool.  
Carmania, Cunard, Liverpool.  
Franconia, Cunard, Liverpool.  
La Savoie, French, Havre.

## Other Ports

Royal George, Canadian Northern, from Liverpool, arrived Quebec July 22 and Montreal July 23.  
Scottian, Allan, from London, delayed by fog, arrived Montreal July 24.  
Asiatian, Allan, from Liverpool, arrived Quebec, July 23.

## RAINBOW TOOK HINDU SHIP WELL OFFSHORE

Cruiser Returned This Morning and Went Into Drydock; Leaving Next Week

After having conveyed the Japanese steamship Komagata Maru well out of sight of Canadian shores, H. M. C. S. Rainbow, Commander Hesse, returned to Esquimalt harbor this morning at 7 o'clock. The cruiser went a short distance offshore, with the Hindu ship, and as everything was quiet on the departing Maru the Rainbow turned about. The weather off the coast was fine when the two vessels parted company for the last time. Immediately the Rainbow showed herself inside the harbor gates of the dry dock where she was swung open and the cruiser hauled in and shored up. The pumps emptied the basin this morning, and the hull is being surveyed this afternoon. It is expected that the cruiser will be floated out either Saturday or Monday, everything depending upon the amount of work which has to be done. On next Wednesday or Thursday of next week the warship will sail from Esquimalt for Behring Sea to carry out patrol work for the imperial government.

## More Bluejackets Here

Yesterday afternoon the officers and men who are to recommission the British sloop-of-war Albatross, now doing service on the Mexican seaboard, arrived at Esquimalt, and are to board the Rainbow and go north on her trip. It is impossible to say just when the sloop will return to the naval harbor, and the new tars will work on the Canadian ship until the Albatross arrives home.

The Rainbow will carry about 250 men when she clears next week. Beside the men from the Nobe and the new commission for the Albatross, the cruiser is to carry some 50 naval volunteers. The Rainbow will be gone some time.

Upon the return of the Rainbow this morning the 50 officers and soldiers from West Point barracks who went to Vancouver on the cruiser, disembarked and returned to their headquarters. Yesterday while the Komagata Maru was crossing the Gulf from Vancouver, two Japanese seamen jumped overboard and tried to swim to the Mayne Island shore in Pender's Pass. The strong tide, however, frustrated their attempt and they were just rescued in the nick of time by a cutter from the Rainbow. On her way to Vancouver the Rainbow leaped overboard as the ship was rounding Turn Point, and whether he reached shore safely or not has never been learned. Nothing was seen of him after he went overboard. The two men who jumped into the water yesterday did not like the prospects of the long trans-Pacific voyage, and were much provoked at being unsuccessful in getting ashore.

## ARE NOT SHIPPING CARGO VIA MEXICO

European Shippers Give Up Tehuantepec Route; Using Direct Lines

European shippers, who up to the time of the trouble in Mexico had been sending freight to the Pacific coast via the Tehuantepec route, are now marking all merchandise consigned to merchants out here for shipment on direct steamships. The Blue Funnel, Royal Mail and Hamburg-American, operating via the Suez canal and the Orient, and the Harrison line coming out through the Strait of Magellan, are dividing up the freight, and it looks as though the Mexican railway has been delivered a severe blow as owing to the unsettled condition of the southern republic shippers will not want to rely upon the old route.

A great deal of the old country freight which was sent out to Victoria, Vancouver, Seattle and Tacoma up to the start of the Mexican trouble, was shipped to Puerto Mexico and there transferred to the Tehuantepec railway, which carried it across the country to Salina Cruz. The cargo was brought up the Pacific to its destination by different steamship lines, which tested the business, but failed to make a profitable run out of it. The freight, however, was always landed here without any serious delays, as some new company was generally found willing to see if it was not possible to make the line pay. When the Mexicans became involved in their family quarrel W. R. Grace & Co. had a fleet of steamships calling at Salina Cruz and bringing the Tehuantepec cargo to Victoria.

Through shipping via Mexico little time is saved, and at the same time the cargo has to be handled twice in the journey across the republic. By the direct lines the claims against the companies are lighter, and the cargo arrives in better condition. Now that the direct lines have secured the business it is quite likely that they will hold on to it for some time.

The Harrison liner Candidate, which is due here before the end of the month from Liverpool, is bringing some freight which had not been for the Mexican squabble would have gone across the Tehuantepec railway.

## MONTEAGLE IN SUNDAY

A wireless message was received this morning from Capt. R. L. Davidson, master of the R. M. S. Montecagle, aboard from the Orient, in which he stated that he would arrive at William Head at 6 a.m. on Sunday morning. The C. P. R. steamer was two days late leaving Yokohama and has picked up one day during the voyage.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qta.

## WHAT WILL GURDIT SING?

Following the deportation of the Hindus on board the Japanese steamship Komagata Maru, British Columbians are wondering what action Gurdit Singh, charterer of the vessel, will take upon his return to India to stir up feeling against the rest of the empire. The latest question is "What will Gurdit Singh?"

A C. P. R. telegraph operator in Vancouver has set down in verse the kind of song he thinks Gurdit will sing when he arrives home, and forwards his production to the Times. It goes under the title "They Didn't Want to Love Me, and I Couldn't Make 'Em Do It," and suggests the song be sung to the tune of "You Can't Play in My Back Yard Any More." The song follows:

"I will sing you a song of that beautiful land,  
Says Gurdit Singh to his crummy band:  
"Where the grub is free and the nights are cool,  
And the immigration officers are easy to fool."  
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## WIRELESS REPORTS

July 24, 8 a. m.  
Point Grey.—Overcast; N. E. light; 29.95; 54.  
Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 30.00; 57; sea smooth.  
Tatoosh.—Cloudy; S. 9 miles; 30.07; 54; sea smooth. In. 8.30 p. m., S. S. Northland. Out. 6.15 a. m., S. S. Windward.  
Pachena.—Overcast; calm; 29.81; 54; sea smooth.  
Estevan.—Cloudy; calm; 29.88; 52; sea moderate.  
Triangle.—Foggy; raining; N. E. light; 29.88; 54; sea moderate. Spoke, 10.10 a. m., tug Gollah 50 miles north of Triangle Island, southbound; 5 a. m., S. S. Starr passing Alert Bay, 7.30 p. m., northbound.  
Prince Rupert.—Raining; calm; 29.74; 50; sea smooth.  
Ikeda.—Overcast; calm; 29.74; 56; sea smooth.  
Dead Tree Point.—Cloudy; calm; 29.72; 59; sea smooth.  
Alert Bay.—Overcast; calm; 29.90; 58; sea smooth.

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## TIMES SHIPPING CHART

SHIP	Master	Tonnage	Agents	From	Due
Empress of Russia	Davidson	3,781	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Montecagle	Davidson	3,800	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Awa Maru	Tomimaga	3,819	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Colusa	Lober	3,625	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Memmouthshire	Lober	3,625	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Candidate	Rushforth	3,826	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Protector	Braithwaite	6,118	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Tacoma Maru	Vanaka	3,840	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Chicago Maru	Hall	3,710	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Shidzuoka Maru	Deguchi	4,250	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Empress of India	Hall	3,710	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Wendell	Hall	3,710	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Marama	Hall	3,710	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Carola Maru	Yamamoto	3,840	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Andalusia	Helfer	3,821	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Empress of Asia	Robinson	3,892	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Tamih Maru	Vanaka	3,840	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Crown of Saxville	Smith	3,854	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Tepper	Vanwood	5,770	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Empress	Hill	2,970	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Wendell	Hill	2,970	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Don of Albia	Hill	2,970	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Tacoma Maru	Hamara	3,740	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Ald Maru	Hill	2,970	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Empress of Japan	Hopcroft	3,923	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
San Francisco	Newell	3,923	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Melrose	Evans	4,811	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Rowell	Evans	2,432	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Talibus	Allan	6,500	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Electra	Wells	4,425	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Gladiolus	Johnson	3,987	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Cardinal	Warner	5,740	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23
Prinzessin	Warner	4,258	C. P. R.	Hongkong	July 23

## DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES

SHIP	Master	Tonnage	Agents	To	Due
Yokohama Maru	G. N.	Hongkong	July 28		
Mexico Maru	R. P. Rithet	H'kg	Aug. 4		
Niagara	C. P. R.	Sydney	Aug. 5		
Titan	Dodwell	Liverpool	Aug. 6		
Empress of Russia	C. P. R.	H'kg	Aug. 6		
Awa Maru	G. N.	Hongkong	Aug. 11		
Chicago Maru	R. P. Rithet	H'kg	Aug. 13		
Empress of India	C. P. R.	H'kg	Aug. 28		
Marama	C. P. R.	Sydney	N.S.W. Sept. 2		
Protector	Dodwell	Co. Liverpool	Sept. 2		

## SAILED COMING

Alliance, Peruvian barque, Iquique.  
David Evans, British schooner, from Japan for Royal Roads.  
Kohala, American barquentine, from Coquimbo for Royal Roads, to load lumber at Chemaluis.

## FERRY SERVICES

For Vancouver.  
Princess Mary, leaves 10.30 a. m. daily.  
Princess Victoria leaves 3.00 p. m. daily.  
Princess Adelaide leaves 11.45 p. m. daily.  
For Tacoma.  
Princess Adelaide arrives 4.45 a. m. daily.  
Princess Charlotte arrives 3.00 p. m. daily.  
Princess Mary arrives 6.30 p. m. daily.  
For Seattle.  
Princess Charlotte leaves 4.30 p. m. daily.

## SHIPPING VERY QUIET ON GREAT LAKES NOW

Cleveland, O., July 24.—Vesselsmen are confident the freight market will be in better shape by September 1 and that there will be an active finish, but an early change in the freight situation is not expected. The steamer C. A. Weston here and the steamer D. E. Meacham at Fairport have been laid up.

A number of freighters have not yet started and as the rate on insurance attaching August 1 will be marked up 1/4 to 1 per cent, some managers of idle ships plan to place risks this month to get the old rate. For insurance attaching October 1 or later the rate will be advanced 1 per cent.

Reports of shortage in grain cargoes are still coming and vessels will try to get a uniform bill of lading on all grain shipped by lake. A meeting may be held next week.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

July 23.—  
San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Johan Poulsen, Eagle Harbor; Admiral Farragut, Seattle; Ventura, Sydney; Congress, Seattle; tug Jolanda, Coos Bay. Sailed: Str. Svea, Gray's Harbor; Col. E. L. Drake, Portland; Trinculo, Vancouver.  
Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Mexico Maru, Orient; Carnarvonshire, Alaska; Victoria, Admiral Evans, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Cordova, Alameda, Seattle; Hawkhead, Fremantle via Port Townsend; Santa Ana, Seattle. Sailed: Str. William Chatham, Eagle Harbor.  
Bellingham, Wash.—Sailed: Str. Windward, Alaska.  
Everett, Wash.—Arrived and sailed: Str. Nome City, San Francisco for Seattle.  
Aberdeen, Wash.—Sailed: Str. Fred J. Wood, Honolulu.  
Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Humboldt, Southeastern Alaska; str. Nome City, San Francisco; str. Admiral Watson, San Francisco; str. Admiral Evans, Southeastern Alaska; str. Cordova, Tacoma; str. Santa Ana, Tacoma; str. Canada Cape, Vancouver; str. President, Sound ports; str. Alameda, Tacoma; str. Morning Star, Vancouver. Sailed: Str. Victoria, Tacoma; str. Admiral Evans, Tacoma; str. Cordova, Ladysmith.

From Seattle.  
Princess Victoria arrives 1.15 p.m. daily.  
For Tacoma.  
Iroquois leaves 8.50 a. m. daily.  
From Tacoma.  
Iroquois arrives via Seattle 6 a.m. daily.  
For Port Angeles.  
Iroquois, 8.30 a.m.; Sol Duc, 1 p.m.  
From Port Angeles.  
Sol Duc, 8.30 a.m.

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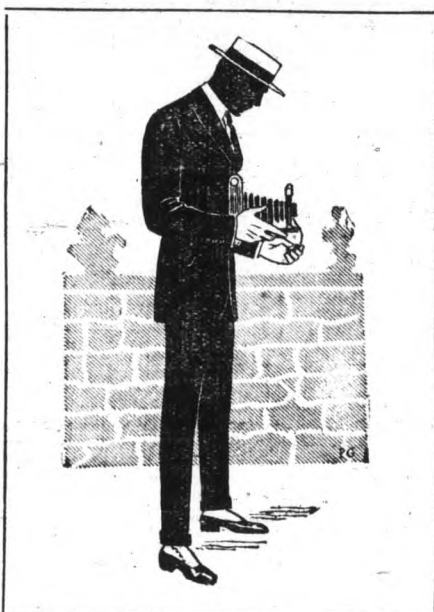
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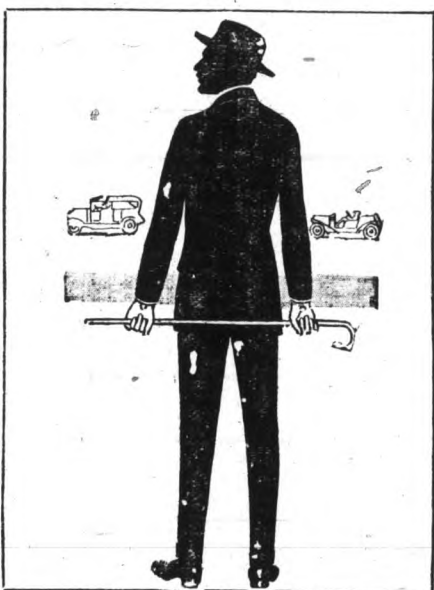
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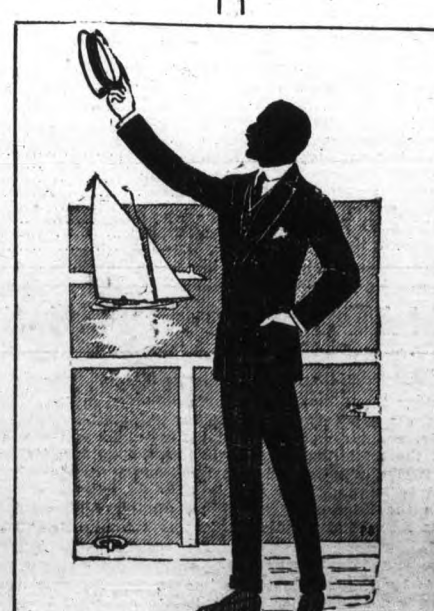
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lived in the city and is stopping at the Strathcona hotel.

J. S. White has arrived in the city from Shawanigan Lake and is stopping at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Jaynes, of Duncan, came down yesterday and are guests at the Empress hotel.

C. Thomas Hall, of Seattle, arrived in the city this morning and is registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Connolly arrived in the city last night from Calgary and registered at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. Alec. McNeill, of Calgary, arrived in the city last night and registered at the Dominion.

Mr. and Mrs. George Robinson have arrived in the city, and are registered at the Empress hotel from Toronto.

Col. J. Eardley-Wilmot, of Shawanigan Lake, is in the city on a short visit. He is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Blake Willden, of Chicago, arrived in the city yesterday, and are staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. Munro, a well-known resident of Nanaimo, is spending a few days in the city. She is a guest at the Dominion hotel.

Geo. B. McClellan, Inspector for the Monarch Life Assurance company, Winnipeg, is spending a few days in the city in the interests of the company.

Miss Helen Dailey, of Nanaimo, reached town yesterday and will spend a few weeks here as the guest of Miss Williams, "Mt. Pleasant," Mears street.

A poem entitled "The Cycle," which appears in the current issue of the Poetry Review, London, Eng., is a composition by Mrs. Ritchie, younger daughter of A. C. Flumerfelt, of Victoria. The poem was accepted by Stephen Phillips, famous as the author of "Paolo and Francesca," "Herod" and other dramatic verse.

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**DOGS IN DUNCAN**

**HAVE HARD TIME**

Imaginary Plague of "Rabies" Makes Excuse for Canine-Shooting by Officials

The comedy of "Much Ado About Nothing" is being played out in the town of Duncan in a new form. It consists of a concerted and singularly impartial attack on the dogs of the district by members of the provincial police force and "specials" of the attorney-general.

The reason for this sudden official hatred of the Duncan canine is the belief that a plague of "rabies" has broken out in the district and the fact that the minions of the government immediately got the fear of hydrophobia into their systems. They have managed to communicate their fears to the people to such an extent that, according to a Duncan resident in the city to-day, women and children will flee for shelter if they see any sign of a dog on the horizon.

In ordinary circumstances the officials would be content to quarantine any animals they suspected of infection, and after making certain that the disease had actually caught hold, give the unfortunate animal a swift quietus.

But that way is too quiet and too much lacking of spectacularity to please the provincial authorities. Hence for the past few weeks the "specials" and provincial constables have gone about armed with guns to shoot down every dog that looked the least bit sick or attenuated. The sound of firing has become so frequent in the Duncan district of late that the stranger might well be forgiven for thinking the beautiful island town is in a state of siege.

The climax came the other day when a beautiful and valuable Gordon setter, the property of a well-known Duncan resident, received a death bullet from the ever-ready guns of the slayers.

Early in the morning his proud owner (to whom it had been given as a present) let it out of its kennel to take its morning exercise. With its glossy coat and perfect lines, the dog was a picture of health, and was well known throughout the district as a most remarkable and valuable dog.

But the eyes of the chasers of "rabies" chanced to rest upon it as it gambolled innocently in the roadway. Its friskings were taken as symptoms of the dread disease, and soon its sleek and shining body became a mark for the gunmen's daily target practice.

The owner was never apprised of the loss of his valuable pet. After several days of searching he found out the truth and was naturally incensed at the slaughter. His experience, however, is only an instance among many others, and scores of dogs have been shot "on suspicion" in the last two or three months. No consideration for the owners has been shown whatever, nor has any descriptions of the dogs taken ever been issued.

According to the best authorities, all carcasses of animals infected with rabies must be burnt, as contact with the defunct body is liable to transmit the disease to any other animal.

Even this elementary precaution has not been taken by the provincial butchers at Duncan, and the carcasses have been allowed to lie for several days, in many cases poisoning the neighborhood.

Eschew wickedness, be truthful in speech, faithful to your engagements, kind and helpful to your relations and neighbors—Mahomet.

Victory belongs to the most persevering—Napoleon.

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The penny off the income tax came just in time. It enabled several Liberal plutocrats to buy a rose on Alexandra Day.—Punch.

"Excuse me, but would you like to buy a nice little daisy?" "No, thank you very much. He looks as though he would bite." "E won't bite yer if you buy 'im, guv'ner."—Punch.

Mrs. Brown: "How can you buy such cheap groceries?" Mrs. Jones: "Oh, these are not for our use! They are to pay back things we borrowed from our neighbors."

The Higher Education of Women.—Mistress: "That's a nicely-made dress you have on, Jane. It's like the new parlormaid's, isn't it?" Jane (a close student of the fashion catalogue): "Oh, no, ma'am, this is quite a different creation."—Punch.



## THE COST OF LIVING



CANADIAN CONSUMER—Here! this is an outrage! Selling your produce across the ocean, after paying the freight, cheaper than you sell it right here at home! I won't stand it!

PROTECTED CANADIAN FOOD MONOPOLIST—Oh, yes you will; you see Mr. Bull wants cheap living so he puts no taxes on food, but as long as there is a protective tariff we propose to make the most of it.

## London Letter

## The Lords and the Amending Bill.

BY ARTHUR SCAIFE, J. P.

London, July 11.—On Wednesday of this week the House of Lords practically tore the amending bill to pieces and flung the fragments in the common's face, for that is what the amendments which the peers have so expeditiously passed amount to. The whole province of Ulster, a province which is represented in parliament by a majority of home rulers, and in the greater number of the counties of which the Catholics overwhelmingly predominate, is permanently and entirely excluded. This scheme, as the Daily News says in a well considered leader, is to be carried through without submitting it to the will of the people. The government offers the counties the option of voting themselves in or out. The Unionists refused to allow them to be consulted. The reason is obvious. They know that if the counties voted there would not be more than two that would stay outside. They know also that even if the province voted as a whole the verdict would be against them. The parties vitally interested therefore are to be denied the privilege of deciding their own fate.

The significance of this action cannot be misunderstood. It means that exclusion is a dead issue and that the Unionists know it. It is repudiated not merely by the Nationalists but by every responsible spokesman of the Unionist party from Lord Lansdowne downwards. It has been frankly adopted as a tactical move, not as a way to settlement but as a means of defeating home rule. No one supposes that it will be accepted by the government, and no one, not even Sir Edward Carson, wants it to be accepted. It would raise more difficulties in Ulster than it would dispose of. It would leave the excluded province with the hopeless task of governing a majority of counties that demanded to be included in the home rule scheme. It would give all the Protestants outside Ulster just cause to feel that they had been deserted by their cavalier friends. Finally, it would spell disaster to the business and banking interests of Belfast, which depend so largely upon intimate and good relations with the rest of Ireland.

In offering the counties the option the prime minister not only went to the extreme limits of concession, but he brought the exclusion idea to the only practical test that could be applied to it. Now that the test has revealed its unreality the sooner the tactical evolutions of the lords are disposed of and we come to real business of settlement the better. The original bill needs no qualifications to secure the full liberties of Ulster, but if that view is still rejected Mr. Asquith and Mr. Redmond would doubtless agree to the fullest measure of administrative autonomy to Ulster which is expressed in the formula of "Home Rule within Home Rule." Lord MacDonnell's amendments covering this ground were scornfully rejected, but that they represent the line of least resistance there can be little doubt; the political unity of Ireland which no one wants to imperil would be preserved, while at the same time practically every issue which effects Ulster alone would be removed from the control of the Dublin parliament.

But if any solution is to be arrived at no time must be lost in getting the home rule bill itself on the statute book. There is some talk of adjourning the session to the autumn in order to deal with the enormous quantity of legislation which has been taken in hand. The passage of the home rule and Welsh Disestablishment Act and the triumph of the Parliament Act are of such capital importance that any course which placed those interests in jeopardy is to be regarded with the utmost concern. The lions in the path were demonstrated on Tuesday by the very narrow majority of 23 which

saved the government from disaster. If these grave affairs are postponed to the autumn in the teeth of the strong disinclination of many supporters of the party who wish to be among their constituents then, the disaster, which is always imminent, may not be prevented. The business of the Liberal party is to get home rule out of the way, without a day's unnecessary delay, and certainly without any further adjournment. There is no interest that should be allowed to interfere with that supreme task.

An English Father Damien.

I alluded in a recent letter to the provision made under the late Lord Strathcona's will for the establishment of a home for lepers in this country. Interest in the subject has now been revived by the statement that the project is going to be set going at once.

Sir George Turner, an eminent medical man, himself a leper, was recently interviewed on the subject by the Daily Chronicle. Sir George, it seems, while at Pretoria, found it impossible to obtain a suitable man to reside at the leper asylum there and attend to the patients, so with noble self sacrifice he voluntarily undertook the work himself. In the interests of science he prosecuted research of a specially dangerous nature, a risk personally taken because, as he says, "I could not ask any man to do what I was not willing to do myself, and that is I suppose how I caught it." Though living quietly in retirement at Colyton, South Devon, Sir George Turner is keenly interested in everything touching the question of leprosy and its treatment and the Strathcona scheme has his entire approval.

"I think it necessary, though there is no cause for alarm. I very naturally don't wish to impose too much restriction on lepers. The disease should be compulsorily notifiable and where the patient is unable or unwilling to take proper precautions there should be authority to segregate. Another reason for a hospital is that for those suffering from the scourge who are not in good circumstances life is often extremely difficult. They can't get their clothes washed or only slightly contagious."

"How many lepers are there estimated to be in England?"

"About 100, I should say, and of these only in a few cases did the infection originate here; among them there are one or two women lepers. It is noticeable that there are always fewer women than men who contract it. The number of women lepers in South Africa is comparatively small."

"Is leprosy curable?"

"I don't know about that," replied Sir George guardedly; "a considerable number of patients, however, have the disease arrested if they are well fed, well clothed, suitably housed, and are given proper employment not exceeding their bodily powers."

"To this end such a scheme as a hospital would be all favorable?"

"Certainly; they might be employed there in gardening and outdoor work, and all the other conditions would be what are required."

An Anglican brotherhood, "The Society of the Divine Compassion," interested in the projected hospital, and will give the inmates practical help. Of the ministrations afforded by representatives of religion in the past experience among lepers, Sir George Turner speaks in warm terms, especially of the devoted service of a Swiss pastor at Pretoria.

A Meteoric Career.

The sensation created in Paris some years back by the Humbert incident bids fair, according to the German press, to be eclipsed in Berlin by the wonderful career of a young adventurer who for a year or two has moved freely in the highest circles of Austrian and German society. Hardly yet 25 years of age, beautiful, quick-witted and with all the charm of a leader of salons, she has with intervals of strained circumstances played the roles, now of courtesan, now of millionaire, with such success that she has reduced the banking accounts of aristocrats to an appreciable extent.

tailor, that in her girlhood she was caught in petty thefts, and that she had been in a reformatory, did not prevent Gertrude Kampmann from posing in high Prussian society as a lady of birth and means. She was Fraulein Ika Ferrari, travelling with her sister Lia.

On the proceeds of some clever forgeries she lived for a time in good style, and gradually became "accepted" by the "best people," the most select of the Berlin "frs," which represent the last word in social exclusiveness.

At last the "sister" did something clumsy with a cheque, and was sentenced to a term of imprisonment. On this Fraulein Ferrari disappeared, but in her stead the Countess Zichy serenely bobbed up, and by keeping to the acquaintance of young men and away from the drawing-rooms, where she had been best known, she concealed the fact that she was still only a glorified Gertrude Kampmann. She was able to live in a suite of rooms at one of the best hotels in Berlin, keeping a large staff of servants. At watering places, too, as their seasons came in turn, she cut a considerable figure.

Outside the danger zone at Montreux, on the Genève, she met a rich South German baron. But, for his benefit, she was no longer "Countess Zichy"—he might have heard of that name. She was only plain Ellen Terry, wife of a millionaire of Buenos Ayres, a merchant from whom she had been divorced, and who owed her hundreds of thousands of pounds. She got £7,000 from the baron, bringing the toll she has levied on the nobles of mid-Europe to a total of well over £100,000.

Finally this baron became suspicious. Making inquiries at Buenos Ayres he learned that the only wealthy Mr. Terry there had never been married and owed no one anything. "Ellen Terry" was in consequence arrested. But her good luck hit on a lawyer who found a "technical point" on which she was soon set at liberty.

Switzerland and Prussia were now a little too risky, so Gertrude next appeared in Baden, and took the grand duke's capital by storm. In Karlsruhe she was the "Countess Odescaichi." Her home was a whole flat in a luxurious hotel, and the old story might have been repeated if she had not tried to obtain money by false pretences in a commonplace way, which is far from corresponding with her record.

Now she lives in Karlsruhe prison, and is again called "Gertrude Kampmann," when it may be inferred that the number of fools in the world has not sensibly diminished since Carlyle enumerated them.

## GUILDS ARE BUSY.

Fowl Bay Cathedral Branch is Receiving Active Support From Women's and St. Agnes' Guilds.

Formally organized only three weeks ago at a meeting presided over by Rev. William Barton, the Women's guild of the proposed Fowl Bay church has already established sewing meetings, the third of which was held yesterday at 2.30 at the home of the president, Mrs. Clowes, 248 Wildwood avenue. The other officers are: Secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Chetnam; Dorcas secretary, Mrs. Plummer. A guild of St. Agnes, for the younger people who are unable to attend the afternoon meetings, has been organized to meet on Friday evenings at the respective members' homes, and already nearly a dozen members have enrolled with vice-president, Miss Clowes, and secretary-treasurer, Miss Exham. To-night's meeting will be at the home of Mrs. Atkinson, 1435 Chandler street.

The two guilds are busy preparing for a sale of work to be held in the early autumn, the proceeds of which will go to the church furnishings. At the donation showed a fortnight ago considerable quantities of sewing materials, some money, and other gifts of a useful character were collected. Members who hold collecting cards are asked to hand them in at the meeting of the general committee to be held on Monday evening in Christ Church cathedral schoolroom.

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Values to \$2.50. Price ..... 90c

## FRENCH VICTORY.

After a long search the lost statuette of Victory which rested in the left hand of the statue of Napoleon atop the Colonne Vendome has been found in England.

The column was thrown down by the Communards on May 16, 1871, and until recently no trace had been found of the statuette, which stood about 18 inches high. Now an English woman living in Edinburgh comes forward with the statement that the statuette is in her possession. She writes that the statuette was picked up by her father, who was in Paris all through 1871, and was present when the column was pulled down. The statuette of Victory, she says,

rolled regularly to her father's feet and he carried it away. One arm of the statuette was broken in the fall, but this has been patched up. The question of how to get it back to France has not yet been decided.

In the forty-three years that the statuette had been missing numerous searches were undertaken, but always with the same result—reports that some one had seen the statuette at some time or other after it was thrown down from the top of the column. One story said that the statuette was picked up by a cook in the employ of the Prince von Metternich. The illustration gives another version: "The day of the overthrow of the Colonne Vendome, or the next day, this statuette found its way into the collec-

tion of Richard Wallace, in the Rue Lafayette. Scott, later Sir John Murray Scott, confidential man in Richard Wallace's employ, either picked it up in the Place Vendome on the evening of May 16, or some one knowing Mr. Wallace's tastes notified him where it could be found. At any rate Scott paid 50 francs (\$10) to have the statuette taken to his house."

Frederic Harrison, in his "Memoirs" says that he saw the statuette one day, it having been shown him by a member of the English colony in Paris who had picked it up. "The remnants of the Wallace collection, which had been left to Sir John Murray Scott, passed into the hands of Lady Sackville, whose will suit-

is still of recent memory. The collection has only recently been dispersed.

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Its Operation

The parcel post has been under test particularly since it came into general use on March 1, and it cannot be said that it has had much success. This is not chargeable to the system, the value of which has been proven beyond question in the United Kingdom for years and in the United States in the comparatively short time it has been in service there, but to the excessive rates that are being exacted by the post office department.

By comparison with the wagon-loads of parcels that go out several times a day from the express offices, the two wagons lightly laden which make two deliveries every weekday that is not a holiday, show to what a slight extent the people use the service, and in what poor regard they hold it. Hon. L. P. Pelletier's boasted extension of the postal system. Public confidence in the state service has not been given justification enough so far to affect the business of the express companies. Indeed, local managers claim that with the reduction in rates which have had to be carried into effect by order of the railway commission, they find business better.

This bears out what was argued in the Times at the inauguration of the service, that it was not designed to offer effective competition to the express companies or to give the service to the public that is afforded in the mother land or in the republic to the south. The first zone is one of twenty miles from the place of mailing and the second includes the province. Here this would mean that parcels sent to Shawnigan Lake would cost twice as much for one pound and over twice as much for any other weight as parcels mailed to Malahat, half a dozen miles south of the lake. In the same way the people of Nanaimo would be affected as between parcels sent to Ladysmith and Chetumal.

For the first zone of twenty miles from the point of posting the rates are practically the same as the British rates for carriage and delivery at any place within the United Kingdom, which means that a parcel may be carried six hundred miles, or thirty times as far, in the old country for the same sum that Victorians have to pay for its carriage to Sidney. If a parcel were addressed to a post office six hundred miles from this city it could cost from ten cents for a pound to half a dollar for eleven pounds, or from ten cents to seventy cents for the maximum weight if sent just over the line into Alberta.

To offices within the province and outside the twenty-mile radius, the rates rise from ten cents for the first pound by four cents a pound to fifty cents for eleven pounds. To Alberta offices it increases from ten cents by six-cent jumps to the maximum of seventy cents. For Saskatchewan it rises by eight cents a pound from twelve cents to ninety-two cents. Starting at twelve cents for Manitoba the

rate is doubled for the second pound, and then advances by ten cents a pound up to \$1.14. From the lakes eastward to Cape Breton the rate is a flat twelve cents a pound.

It so happens that the rate for the maximum weight, \$1.32, is exactly the same as would be charged on a nine-pound parcel sent by the official service through the British and United States post offices from London or any other old country point to Seattle, or Tatoosh—note as that point is from rail connection with the Sound—or any other office in the United States, including Alaska. For the lower weights there is a lesser rate charged in the old country for parcels sent to the States by official service than by the semi-official, which is maintained through the agency of the American Express company, but for parcels from seven to eleven pounds the rate to the utmost corner of the United States from the most remote post office in the Kingdom is \$1.08 (4s. 6d.) by either service.

To be able to send one pound of matter from Victoria to New Brunswick for twelve cents seems no small consideration, particularly at Christmas and other times of the year when there may be special occasion to remember the various members of the family, but for greater weights the rate becomes exorbitant. Newcomers in the western provinces should have found the new service most useful for obtaining various effects, for sending out their produce, fruit, vegetables, eggs, etc. When the shooting season opens the hunter should expect to find the parcels post most useful for sending game to friends who live near enough to obtain delivery before the game is too old.



Letters for publication in Daily Times must be received at the Times Office not later than the day before the day of publication. Letters of every kind of such letters must be given to the editor.

### RACING SWEEPS.

To the Editor: Will some one of your readers kindly inform me of the present address of the ladies or gentlemen who were so fortunate as to secure the first and second prizes in H. L. Salmon's sweepstakes on the Derby won by Durbar II? I have special reasons why I am anxious to communicate with each of them personally.

A. L. SALTERLEY.

### MEDICAL SOCIETIES AND THE PUBLIC.

To the Editor: We find a medical union venting its wrath against an evidently useful form of treatment, foreign as yet to our normal doctoring methods. Whenever this sort of action occurs it bears on the face of it the sign that a profession cannot succeed on its merits but must needs be maligning others. Resorting to such tricks as sending some "agent" to make up a case by a false pretence is pretty low—calls to mind the "Lord's Day Society's" methods. Disrepute on all of it, and the confreres of Dodson and Fogg, who have a hand in such means! I am glad they did not get their costs.

J.

## PENSIONS FUND IS UNDER ADVISEMENT

City Council Holds Special Meeting To-day; Two By-laws Are Introduced

The city council met this afternoon to deal with the police pension fund, having the police commissioners and representatives of the Police Benevolent fund present to talk over the details of the draft scheme prepared by the commissioners and already presented to the aldermen.

Other matters taken up were the by-laws for repairs to the Rock Bay bridge, and the improvement of Ross Bay cemetery.

The Hired Vehicles by-law was also expected to be taken up and it is hoped will be finished. The mayor hoped that time would permit for the meeting of the committee which will be entrusted with the preparation of an address to His Royal Highness the Duke of Connaught on his arrival on August 20. If there is no opportunity on account of the subsequent meeting of the streets committee, that committee will hold its session on Monday next.

The interview with Chief Engineer G. H. C. Conway, of the B. C. Electric railway, with regard to the company's request to widen the bridge will take place on Monday afternoon instead of Monday morning, as most of the aldermen will be at the city hall for the finance committee meeting that day, prior to the council session. Events which have transpired in Vancouver, where the company is claiming that the Cambie street bridge is a street within the meaning of the act, have some interest for Victoria citizens under the present circumstances. It appears, however, that only passenger traffic is handled over that bridge across False creek, whereas the present situation with regard to the Johnson street bridge entirely arises over preparations to handle freight across the bridge.

Alderman McCandless states that three of the trades which have early closing measures have agreed to petition the council to withdraw their regulations and repeal the respective by-laws, the clothiers, boots and shoes and jewellers, while the secretary of the retail grocers' association is dealing with the grocers' by-law, which has already a considerable number of signatures. The alderman hopes to have the repeal by-laws ready for the city council on Monday.

After the city council met to-day there was a brief session of the streets committee, at which the principal business was dealing with the petition for the paving of Oak Bay avenue with a bitulithic surface on a heavy concrete base.

The returning officer states that owing to the necessity of printing a new series of voters' lists for voting on money by-laws, it will be necessary to defer the election for alderman, and vote on the by-laws till August 13. The solicitor advises the council formally to accept the resignation of Alderman Cuthbert on Saturday week, so that the statute governing a by-election may be respected. The voters' list for the aldermanic by-election will be the same as that used in January, but the money by-law list changes with the confirmation of every assessment, and will be taken on the assessment roll of 1914.

There is a proverb to the effect that the child is father to the man. Some young people, among whom was doubtless Gwendolyn of the following story, take it to mean that the child should instruct the man, and act accordingly. She and her parent were together in the sitting-room one morning, and Mr. Park had just made some remark. "O, father," said the little girl, "you must not drop your final 'g's'." "But I haven't been dropping 'em'." "There you go again. 'Droppin'." And you say 'comin' and 'goin' and 'eatin' without any final 'g' at all. It's awful, father. "Yes." "May I drop the final 'g' in 'egg'?" "O, father!"

Any game is a menace that keeps Cambridge undergraduates in bed on Sunday and other mornings and throughout the whole day in rooms full of tobacco smoke when they ought to be out in the sunshine.—Dr. Lyttelton.

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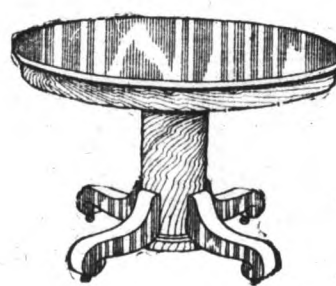
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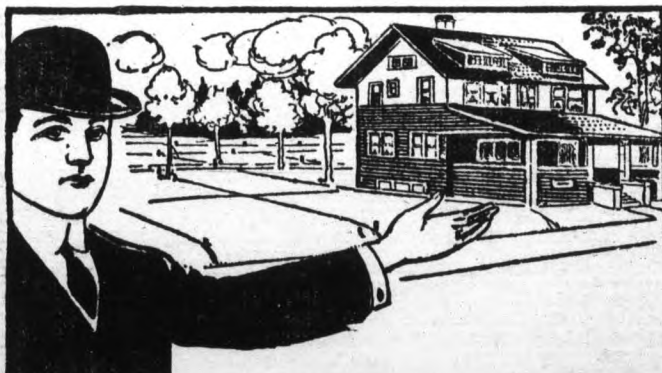
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AUSTRALIAN TENNIS  
TEAM WIN EASILYMessrs. Schwengers and  
Powell Beaten in Straight  
Sets; Wilding in Form

Chicago, July 24.—Australia scored a one-sided victory over Canada in the first clash on Davis Cup elimination matches here yesterday. In straight sets, Anthony F. Wilding, of New Zealand, defeated R. B. Powell, of British Columbia, 6-1, 6-2, 6-2, and Norman Brookes won from R. P. Schwengers, 6-2, 6-3, 6-2.

To win the series now the Canadians must take the doubles and both the singles matches on Saturday. After the play-to-day critics were unwilling to concede the latter anything but an outside chance. The first match, that of Brookes and Schwengers, was hardly completed before a storm began. The showers, which lasted more than an hour, drove to shelter the 2,000 spectators and caused a postponement of the second match, but cannot keep the courts nearly dry and Wilding refused to consent to having the match set back. Wilding played a wonderful game, much better than his practise matches early this week. Cast in the doubles, Powell and Schwengers meet Brookes and Wilding.

Capt. Foulkes, of the Victoria tennis club, is showing the way in the Vancouver meet. The local expert's play borders on the sensational.

Summary.

H. G. Garrett, Victoria, beat Carlin, all, 6-2, 2-6, 7-5. H. Johns, California, beat Kingston, Cowichan, 6-3, 6-1.

Ladies' singles: Mrs. Cane, Victoria, beat Mrs. Pearce, Vancouver, 6-0, 6-3. Miss Lawson, Victoria, beat Miss McDermott, Victoria, 1-6, 2-7, 6-2. Miss Pooley, Victoria, beat Miss Byron, Vancouver, 6-0, 6-2.

Men's doubles: Captain Foulkes and H. Breck beat Smithson and Huntington, 6-0, 6-1. Captain Foulkes and Breck beat Harrison and H. J. Garrett, Victoria, 6-4, 6-2.

Mixed doubles: Foulkes and Miss Pooley, Victoria, beat Montgomery and Mrs. Langley, Victoria, 6-2, 6-4. Mr. and Mrs. Garrett beat Graves and Mrs. Priddham, Vancouver, 6-2, 6-3. Ryall and Mrs. Everard beat Mr. and Mrs. Harrison, Victoria, 6-4, 6-8, 6-1. Foulkes and Miss Pooley, Victoria, beat Jenkins and Miss Byron, Vancouver, 6-1, 6-3.

Ladies' doubles: Miss Henderson and Miss Nesbitt, Vancouver, beat Mrs. Matterson and Miss Richardson, Victoria, 6-2, 10-8. Mrs. Langley and Miss Pooley, Victoria, beat Mrs. Rickaby and Miss Goodfellow, Vancouver, 6-3, 6-6, 6-4. Miss Lawson and Miss McDermott, Victoria, beat Mrs. Schwengers and Mrs. Cane, Victoria, 6-0, 6-1.

Chicago, July 24.—With two victories in their credit and only one more needed, Norman E. Brookes and A. F. Wilding, the Australasian tennis players, were ready to-day to face R. B. Powell and B. P. Schwengers, of Victoria, B. C., in the doubles match in the Davis cup elimination competition. Wilding and Brookes won their singles matches from Powell and Schwengers yesterday with so much ease that before the hour of play to-day the Canadians were not considered to have more than a slight chance of defeating the Australasians. A victory to-day for the latter would make Wilding and Brookes eligible to meet the winner of the England-Germany matches for the honor of challenging the American holders of the International trophy. Cloudy and cooler weather promised conditions more to the taste of the contests to-day than yesterday's record heat. The play is on the courts of the Owensville Country club at Lake Forest, Ills.

## CARPENTIER WAS FOULED.

London, July 24.—The pictures of the Smith-Carpentier fight in London, of which a private view was given last night, show that Smith struck Carpentier at least twice in the sixth round as Carpentier was falling.

Men's Separate Trousers at Sale 50c. J. N. Harvey, Ltd.

JOHNNY RAWLINGS SOLD  
TO MINNEAPOLIS CLUB

Cincinnati, Ohio, July 24.—Announcement was made to-day that infielder John Rawlings and outfielder Maurice Uhler of the Cincinnati Nationals, were relegated to the Minneapolis club of the American Association as a part of a deal for Outfielder Killfer, who will join the Reds later. In addition Pitcher John Rowan was sold to Dayton, of the Central league, and Outfielder LaRoss was sent back to Battle Creek, whence he came. Catcher Erwin, who was obtained from the Brooklyn Nationals, will be returned to that club.

BAYLEY-O'LEARY FIGHT  
PICTURES ARRIVE HERE

Morris Condon received word this morning that the Bayley-O'Leary fight pictures will arrive from Vancouver to-day and will immediately go on exhibition at the Empress moving picture house on Government street. The films clearly show that Bayley held his own with O'Leary in the early rounds and had the lightweight champion covering up at the finish. Condon also stated this morning that Bayley's bout with Frankie Burns on July 27 had been indefinitely postponed because of Bayley's weak hands.

## LIVERPOOL CUP.

Liverpool, July 24.—The Liverpool cup, a handicap of £1,000, one mile and three furlongs, was won to-day by P. Nello's China Cock, a four-year-old by Santol-High Feather, and winner of the Liverpool Spring cup and the Queen's prize at Kempton this year. China Cock started at 7 to 1. G. Edwards' Nassau, 7 to 1, was second, and the favorite, T. Martin's Junior, 2 to 1, was third. The Atlantic stakes, for three and four-year-olds, one mile and a quarter, £2,000, was won by Lord Derby's Light Brigade, by Picton. It was decided to hold future tournaments separate from the club competitions, the date to be fixed by the executive. Officers were elected as follows:

## SEATTLE GETS TOURNEY.

Vancouver, B. C., July 24.—Seattle will be the scene of the North Pacific Lawn Tennis association tournament in 1915. This was decided at the annual meeting of the association held here. It was decided to hold future tournaments separate from the club competitions, the date to be fixed by the executive. Officers were elected as follows:

## AFTER BRESNAHAN.

St. Louis, Mo., July 24.—Roger Bresnahan, asked to supplant Mordecai Brown as manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, has refused, but refused in such terms that President E. A. Steininger of the Cardinals believes it is merely a matter of time before the big catcher will become a manager in St. Louis again.

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## LATE MR. IRVING'S "FIND."

The London Daily Chronicle's Toronto correspondent learns from friends of the late Mr. Laurence Irving that when he embarked on the Empress of Ireland he was taking back with him to England the manuscript of a new play. In telling his friends about it he remarked, "This play will make me a famous actor."

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THE WORLD'S GIANTS  
DESCRIBED BY TEXANWho is a Giant Himself; Some  
of Them Were More Than  
Nine Feet High

Capt. James G. Tarvey, Texas giant, has been at considerable labor and time collecting data relative to the most famous big men of whom there is any record, says a New York exchange. He says:

"I got these particulars out of all sorts of publications, printed in all languages, all over the world. I made a study of giants part of the business of my life, as naturally I desired to know where I stood by comparison with the big men of history."

Here is his list, prepared by himself, from which it may easily be seen there were few men taller than himself:

"When Goliath of the Bible is figured out to have been no taller than six feet, it would seem by comparison that most of the giants of modern times were nearly as tall. There was Chang, the Chinese giant, for instance, who was credited with a height of 8 ft. 2 in., but who, as a matter of fact, was only 7 ft. 9 in. His true height was not ascertained until after his death, owing to a Chinese superstition."

"Og, Gog and Magog."

"Hecanus, physician to Charles V., says that he saw a youth 9 feet high and a man and woman 10 feet high. Almsworth says that in 1553 the Tower of London was guarded by three brothers claiming descent from Henry VIII, and surmised og, Gog and Magog, all of whom were over 8 feet in height."

"Among the yeomen of the guard of John Frederick, Duke of Hanover, there was one, Christopher Munster, six feet high, who died in 1658. In 1658 the giant porter of the Duke of Wurttemberg was 7½ feet high. Big Sam, the porter of Queen Elizabeth, of whom there is a picture in Hampton court, was 7½ feet high, and Walter Parson, porter to James Evans, who served Charles I., was nearly 8 feet. He carried a dwarf in his pocket."

"Plater speaks of a man living in 1613, 9 feet high, whose hand was one foot and six inches long. Peter van der Broeck speaks of a Congo negro in 1640, who was 8 feet high, and Walter Porter of Cromwell, was 7 feet 6 inches high; he became a lunatic."

"Frazier speaks of Chilian giants 9 feet tall. There is a chronicle which says one of the kings of Norway was 8 feet high. Merula says that in 1538 he saw in France a Flemish man over 9 feet."

"Robert Hale, the 'Norfolk giant,' who died in Yarmouth, in 1843, at the age of 43, was 7 feet 6 inches high and weighed 452 pounds."

"The skeleton of Cornelius McGrath, now preserved in the Trinity college museum, Dublin, is a striking example. At 16 years of age he measured 7 feet 10 inches."

CANADA AND THE  
WORLD'S COAL SUPPLYAmerican Continent Has Great  
Coal Fields of the World;  
the Dominion's Figures

America has the most coal of any of the five continents. This was shown in the report compiled by a special committee composed of Messrs. G. G. S. Lindsay, Toronto; F. D. Adams, Montreal; R. W. Brock, of Ottawa; D. B. Dowling and Charles Fergie, of Nova Scotia; James McAvoy, of British Columbia; and J. B. Porter, of Montreal, and appointed to study the world's coal area. Of the American continent's reserve, Canada has 2,158,000,000 tons of anthracite, or 1,234,769,000,000 tons of all three classes; the United States has 19,684,000,000 tons of anthracite, or 3,838,657,000,000 tons altogether. Newfoundland, with no anthracite, has 500 million tons of bituminous, and Central America five million tons altogether.

## Coal Resources of Canada.

Taking the provinces of Canada the actual and probable reserves are stated as follows:

Nova Scotia—Actual reserve bituminous, 2188 million tons; probable reserve, 7531 million tons.

New Brunswick—Probable reserve, 151 million tons bituminous.

Ontario—25 million tons probable reserve sub-bituminous and lignites.

Manitoba—360 million tons probable reserve sub-bituminous and lignites.

Saskatchewan—57,400 million tons probable reserve sub-bituminous and lignites.

Alberta—Actual reserves: 668 million tons anthracite; 3,200 million tons bituminous; 34,908 million tons semi-bituminous and lignites. Probable reserves: 144 million tons anthracite; 46,725 million tons bituminous; 5,132 million tons sub-bituminous and lignites.

Yukon—Probable reserves: 40 million tons anthracite; 210 million tons bituminous; 4,600 million tons semi-bituminous and lignites.

Northwest Territories—4,800 million tons semi-bituminous and lignites.

Arctic Islands—6,000 million tons semi-bituminous.

Coal Fields of Alberta.

Mr. Dowling notes: "The extensive coal fields of Alberta, which contain coal of a wide range of character, form Canada's largest coal reserve. The interior portion of British Columbia has many areas of coking coal. The fuels of the Arctic Islands may, like the Spitzbergen coals, be mined at some future time."

The coal fields of Canada have an estimated total surface extent of 109,168 square miles.

able, the Canadian production was 14,512,829 tons, valued at \$36,019,044. Great Britain produced 264,500,000 tons, and Germany, the next producer, mined 221,980,000. The next greatest coal producing country is France, with only 38,570,000 tons in 1910.

China has the bulk of the remaining hard coal, being credited with 87,464,000,000 tons in reserve and 607,523,900,000 tons of bituminous.

Reserves in Europe.

While coal is found in commercial quantities in almost all the European countries, in some the supply is nearly exhausted. Switzerland is one of these. The diminishing coal supply of Europe as a whole is a matter of grave concern in view of the present

output. The principal European supply of anthracite is in the Welsh fields of Great Britain and in the Donetz basin in Russia.

The largest European reserves of bituminous coal are in the Belgo-German basins although Britain has a larger bituminous field of easy mining accessibility.

In the analysis of the American supply, actual and probable, Nova Scotia, Alberta and British Columbia are credited with the main supply for Canada. The total "actual," "probable" and "possible" coal reserves of all quantities for the entire world is set down at 7,397,553. Of this estimate 5,105,529 millions are credited to America, including both North and South continents, to Asia 1,270,586 mil-

lion; Europe, 784,190 million; Oceania, 179,419 million; Africa, 57,839 million. Canada, as is known, is a large importer of coal.

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There were 3,846 firms or persons licensed for brewing in the United Kingdom last year, the license duty paid being £409,934. The quantities of materials used were: malt, 32,284,657 bushels; unmalted corn, 91,063 bushels; rice, malted, etc., 1,611,558 cwt.; sugar, etc., 3,279,814 cwt.; hops, 62,911 cwt.; pounds; hop substitutes, 1,855 pounds.

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Centenary of Lundy's Lane, Fiercest Battle of 1814.

One hundred years ago to-day the American army under Gen. Jacob Brown, which was seeking to effect the off-defeated conquest of Canada, abandoned its camp at Chippewa, the scene of an earlier victory, and marched to Niagara Falls. On the same day Sir Gordon Drummond, commander of the British forces in Upper Canada, arrived at Rial's camp with 815 men and assumed personal command. The British followed the Americans to Niagara Falls, and the two armies camped but three miles apart, within sound of the roar of the mighty cataract, and in the midst of a lovely and fertile region. So the stage was set for what was destined to be one of the fiercest and most deadly battles in the war between Great Britain and the United States. It was not until sundown of the following day, however, that the issue was joined, and the roar of guns mingled with Niagara's noisy clash of waters.

Authorities differ widely as to the number of men engaged in this battle, which is known in history as the battle of Lundy's Lane. A Canadian historian asserts that Brown had 5,000 men and Drummond half that number. An American historian gives the number engaged as 1,200 British and 1,000 American, another as 4,000 British and 3,000 American, and a third as 5,000 Americans and 2,500 British. An English authority describes the battle as "between 2,500 Americans and 4,500 British." Various other figures are given, some historians stating definitely that the British had the superior force, numerically, and others quite as definitely declaring the contrary.

Some historians say that the conflict was waged through the greater part of a dark night, while others allege that the moon and stars shed their light upon the field of carnage, and that the contest of arms ended at midnight.

That a terrible proportion on both sides fell dead or wounded on the battlefield, all historians agree. Estimates of the American loss range from 743 to 930, and the British loss is placed, by nearly all at 875 men. Considering the comparatively small number engaged, the casualties were enormous, and give Lundy's Lane a place among the world's bloodiest battles.

The battle was a British victory, for it checked Brown's advance into Canada, and the next day he returned to Fort Erie, leaving the captured batteries behind.

## TO-DAY IN CANADIAN HISTORY

Alphonse A. C. Larivière, one of the many French-Canadians who have played a prominent part in the political history of Manitoba, was born in Montreal seventy-two years ago to-day, July 24, 1842. His youth was spent in his native city, where he was educated in the schools and at St. Mary's college. He entered the ranks of the Fourth Estate after leaving college, and soon emigrated to Manitoba, where for many years he edited and published an influential French paper at St. Boniface. He early entered the political arena as a Conservative, and for a decade was a member of the provincial legislature, and for some time was a member of the Manitoba government. In 1889 he was elected to the Dominion parliament, and he soon became a prominent figure in Ottawa, especially during the stormy days when the Manitoba school question was a national issue. He continued in the Dominion house of commons until 1904, when he became Manitoba immigration commissioner at

St. Boniface. He was president of the New York state branch of the National Citizens' League for the Promotion of a Sound Banking System. It was started in 1911 and declared itself against a central bank, but in favor of a national reserve association. So it was natural that he should be summoned last fall before the senate currency committee and that his name should have been mentioned as under consideration for membership of the national reserve board. As soon as the report was published, however, Mr. Claffin denied it.

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## HUMAN PROCESSION

John Claffin, the dethroned "king of the dry goods trade," whose gigantic business was recently placed under a receivership, will be sixty-four years old to-day. When the H. B. Claffin company fell the crash was felt in cities all over the United States and Canada, so vast was the commercial structure built up by John Claffin, who succeeded his father as head of the firm in 1885.

Mr. Claffin was born in Brooklyn on July 24, 1850, and was educated in the public schools and in the college of the city of New York. He was graduated at the age of 19, and then spent a year traveling abroad. On his return he at once entered the office of the H. B. Claffin company, and in a year or two was made a partner. At the beginning of his business career America was in the midst of a panic, but the Claffin firm weathered the storm. In this crisis young Claffin showed his ability and his initiative, and as the time went on he was able to relieve his father, H. B. Claffin, of more and more responsibility. So it fell out that when his father died, on November 14, 1885, he assumed the control of the firm, naturally and easily. A hard worker, he took equally strenuous vacations. For two months every year when a young man he would leave the city and seek relaxation in some out-of-the-way part of the earth. The Rocky Mountains were a favorite haunt of his, and he traveled extensively in Mexico, Europe and Asia. But his more adventurous trip was across the South American continent in the region of Peru in 1877. Accompanied by only one companion he followed a route seldom or never before taken by a white man. He made his way to the Maderia river, and thence to the mouth of the Amazon, sometimes journeying on foot, sometimes on muleback, and again in canoes. He had to pass through the territory of many savage Indian tribes, but he escaped without injury.

Like many other great concerns, the house of Claffin had a humble origin. Its foundation was laid at Milford, Mass., where in 1811 Horace Binham Claffin was born. In 1834 he succeeded to his father's business, and with his brother-in-law two years later he opened a branch at Worcester, Mass. The enterprise prospered from the outset, and in 1843 Mr. Claffin removed to New York and organized the wholesale dry goods house of Bulkley & Claffin, which became H. B. Claffin & Co. in 1863.

Some years ago Mr. Claffin joined with other capitalists in the organization of two great chains of retail stores, the Associated Merchants' company and the United Dry Goods company, with big establishments in New York, Buffalo, Baltimore, Newark, Minneapolis, Louisville, Cincinnati, Denver, Toledo, Altoona, Hamilton, Ont., Butte, Seattle, Kansas City, and other cities. Mr. Claffin has always been interested in currency reform. He was president of the New York state branch of the National Citizens' League for the Promotion of a Sound Banking System. It was started in 1911 and declared itself against a central bank, but in favor of a national reserve association. So it was natural that he should be summoned last fall before the senate currency committee and that his name should have been mentioned as under consideration for membership of the national reserve board. As soon as the report was published, however, Mr. Claffin denied it.

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## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 174

A By-Law to Raise the Sum of \$11,000.00 for the Purchase of Property for Municipal Purposes.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay has determined to purchase for the purposes of the said Corporation the following lands situate in the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay, and being parts of Section Sixty-nine (69) Victoria District, in the Province of British Columbia, namely:

(a) Lot Ten (10), Block Four (4), according to plan number 228 deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria.

(b) That part of Section Sixty-nine (69), Victoria District, containing twenty-one hundredths (20/100) of an acre conveyed by Joseph D. Pemberton to Robert Morrison by indenture dated the 24th day of April, 1908, and registered in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria.

(c) That part of Section Sixty-nine (69) Victoria District, containing one acre conveyed by Joseph Despard Pemberton to Robert Morrison by indenture dated the 7th day of December, 1908, registered in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria.

(d) Lot Fifty-eight (58), according to Map 248, deposited in the Land Registry Office at the City of Victoria.

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the debt which this By-law is intended to create is the sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00).

AND WHEREAS, the said debt is to be created for the purpose of purchasing the hereinbefore mentioned lands.

AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon is Twenty-two Cents (\$22.00).

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the whole rateable land and improvements or real property in the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay according to the last revised Assessment, Roll of the Municipality, namely, the Assessment Roll for the year 1914, is Seven Million, Nine Hundred and Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$7,938,000.00).

AND WHEREAS, this By-law shall not be altered or repealed except with the consent of the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council.

BE IT THEREFORE ENACTED BY THE Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay as follows:

1. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay to borrow upon the credit of the said Corporation by way of the Debentures hereinafter mentioned from any person or persons, or body or bodies corporate, who may be willing to advance the same as a loan, a sum of money not exceeding the whole of the sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00), either in currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. per annum, or to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinafter recited.

2. It shall be lawful for the said Reeve to cause a number of Debentures to be made, executed and issued for such sums as may be required, not exceeding the sum of Eleven Thousand Dollars (\$11,000.00), either in currency or sterling money, at the rate of 4 1/2 per cent. per annum, or to cause all such sums so raised or received to be paid into the hands of the Treasurer of the said Corporation for the purpose and with the object hereinafter recited.

3. The said Debentures shall bear date the 21st day of August, one Thousand nine hundred and fourteen, and shall be made payable in thirty (30) years from the said date, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the Debentures or coupons.

4. The said Debentures shall bear interest at the rate of Five and one-half per cent. per annum from the date thereof, which interest shall be payable half-yearly on the 28th day of February, and the 31st day of August, at such place either in the Dominion of Canada, Great Britain or the United States of America, as may be expressed in the Debentures or coupons.

5. It shall be lawful for the Reeve of the said Corporation to dispose of the said Debentures at a rate below par and to authorize the Treasurer of the Corporation to pay out of the sum so raised by the sale of the said Debentures all expenses connected with the preparation and engraving or lithographing of the said Debentures and coupons, or any discount or commission or other charges incidental to the sale of the said Debentures.

6. For the purpose of the payment of the interest on the said Debentures during their currency there shall be raised annually the sum of One Thousand, Three Hundred and Twenty Dollars (\$1,320.00), and Five Hundred and Four Dollars, forty-six cents (\$504.46), making in the aggregate One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Twenty-four Dollars, forty-six cents (\$1,824.46) shall be raised and levied in each year by rate sufficient therefor on all the rateable land in the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay.

7. This By-law may be cited as the "General Debt By-law No. 6."

TAKE NOTICE that the above is a true copy of the proposed By-law, upon which the vote of the Municipality will be taken at the Schoolhouse, Oak Bay Avenue, on Saturday, August 1st, 1914, from 9 a. m. to 7 p. m.

## James Bay Snap

Furnished Four Room Cottage,  
With Lot 52 1-2x120 on  
Niagara Street Close to Car  
Renting \$25 per Month

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## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 175

A By-Law to Raise the Sum of \$24,000.00 for the Construction of Buildings for Municipal Purposes.

WHEREAS, the Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay has determined to construct the following buildings within the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay for Municipal purposes, namely:

(a) Store and Warehouse, the amount of the debt which this By-law is intended to create is the sum of Twenty-four Thousand Dollars (\$24,000.00).

(b) AND WHEREAS, the total amount required to be raised annually by rate for paying the debt which will be created hereunder and the interest thereon is One Thousand, Eight Hundred and Twenty-four Dollars and Forty-six cents (\$1,824.46).

AND WHEREAS, the amount of the whole rateable land and improvements or real property in the Municipality of the District of Oak Bay according to the last revised Assessment, Roll of the Municipality, namely, the Assessment Roll for the year 1914, is Seven Million, Nine Hundred and Thirty-eight Thousand Dollars (\$7,938,000.00).

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F. W. CLAYTON,  
C. M. C.

NOTICE

DIRT FOR SALE, in connection with grading operations on Pandora avenue, Port and Cook streets, and Rock Bay avenue. Apply City Engineer, City Hall, Victoria, B. C., July 24, 1914.

## THE SPEER-WALTON FURNITURE COMPANY, LIMITED IN LIQUIDATION.

TENDERS FOR STOCK.

TENDERS are hereby invited for the entire stock in trade of the above company, comprising: House Furnishings, Furniture and Office Furniture. The stock can be inspected any day between the hours of 9 a. m. and 5 p. m. on the premises of the Company, 221 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C., or full particulars can be had on application to the undersigned. Tenders will close on July 28, 1914. Address all communications to the undersigned, who shall have had notice. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

W. B. MONTEITH,  
Liquidator.  
Victoria, B. C., July 16, 1914.

## IN THE ESTATE OF JANE NOBLE, DECEASED.

All persons having claims against the above named deceased are required to send particulars thereof duly verified to the undersigned, on or before August 1st, 1914, after which date the Executors will proceed to distribute the assets of the deceased among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which they shall have had notice. Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 27th day of June, 1914.

E. J. WOOLTON,  
Bank of Montreal Chambers, Bastion Street, Victoria, B. C., Solicitor for the Executors.

## CORPORATION OF THE DISTRICT OF OAK BAY

BY-LAW NO. 176.

Authorizing the Selling of Water to the Municipality of Saanich.

The Municipal Council of the Corporation of the District of Oak Bay HEREBY ENACTS as follows:

(1) The Municipal Council of the said Corporation do hereby authorize the said Corporation to sell water to the Municipality of Saanich, at any time and from time to time, with the consent of the Corporation of the City of Victoria, or the Water Commissioner thereof, and during such time or times as the said Corporation of the City of Victoria, or the Water Commissioner thereof, may determine to sell water to the Municipality of







## Your Own Home for \$225

This beautiful four-roomed cottage is situated on Charlton street, within one minute's walk of the Mount Tolmie carline and just outside the 1½ mile circle. The house is tinted throughout, has open fireplace, built-in features and is modern in every way; electric light, water and sewerage. A large grassy lot, 50x145. Owner will accept lot as part payment. Terms monthly.

Price \$2,600

MONEY TO LOAN

**P. R. BROWN**

SMALL ACREAGE

1112 BROAD STREET

## VERY CHEAP

Lot 6, Block B

**Richardson Street**

51x130. Price

**\$2,100**

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Telephone 30.

623 Fort St., Victoria. Estab. 1890

### FOR SALE—LOTS

FOR SALE—A small, 50x120, Newport avenue, offers wanted. Eagles, Mahon Block. Phone 3273. Jy23

FOR SALE—5 lots on Scott street, between Hamilton and Myrtle avenue. \$300 each, 1-3 cash, balance in 3 years at 8 per cent. interest. Apply 829 Humboldt street. Jy23

A WORKINGMAN'S BARGAIN in Lake Hill Park. Fine corner lot, the last in the block, 6x128 feet, cleared, ready for building a home, price \$675, \$25 cash, balance \$5 monthly. Western Lands, Limited, 723 Fort street. Jy23

FOR SALE—Small lot on Newport avenue lot Phone 3273, Mahon Block. Jy23

### FOR SALE—HOUSES

FIVE-ROOM COTTAGE, Hulton street. \$2,000, cash. \$250, balance monthly. Patten, Oak Bay Realty Office, 2566 Oak Bay Ave. Phone 3543. Jy23

NEW BUNGALOW, cheap, nicely located, two bedrooms, parlor, kitchen, built-in buffet, bathroom, cement basement, \$2,650 only, \$300 cash, balance \$20 monthly. See us at once. Realty Company, 256 Jones Block. Jy23

FOR SALE—Ross Bay, 5-room bungalow, small cash payment, balance quarterly. McGregor & Co., 731 1/2 Fort street. Jy23

FOR SALE—5-room shack and Douglas terminals, small payment, balance as rent. McGregor & Co., 731 1/2 Fort street. Jy23

### FOR SALE—ACREAGE

TWO AND HALF ACRES, Cadboro Bay, with 3-room cottage and two chicken houses. Fine view. Price \$5,000. Patten, 256 Oak Bay Ave. Jy23

ACREAGE—Eleven hundred acres at Princeton, 3 houses, barns, etc., on property, 60 acres in grain, 100 acres hay, balance pasture, all fenced, close to highway, good auto road to property. Guaranteed to carry 600 head of cattle. Price \$25,000, cash and terms arranged. Box 570, Times. Jy23

FOR SALE—Elk Lake, 10 acres, small house, cash terms. McGregor & Co., 731 1/2 Fort street. Jy23

EXCEPTIONAL OPPORTUNITY—5 acres with fully furnished 5 roomed house, in first-class condition, 4 chicken houses, incubator, good well and pump, etc., about 3 acres cleared; \$5,000, on terms. A special price for the property. If you are a live wire do not answer. Give references in first letter, or telephone number. Box 570, Times. Jy23

### TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

STOCK UP in household hardware in B. C. Hardware's great annual sale. Jy23

A SLENDID OPENING for high-class, hustling salesman, one that is not afraid of work and can furnish all references as to ability, honesty, etc., must know how to run an automobile, unless you are a live wire do not answer. Give references in first letter, or telephone number. Box 570, Times. Jy23

FOR RENT—To careful tenants, new 5-room bungalow, N. E. corner of Tolmie and Linwood Ave., \$20. Apply next door, or Phone 54812. Jy23

TOOLS at cost and less in B. C. Hardware. On Wednesday. Reward at 1125 Pandora avenue. Jy23

6-PASSENGER, 20 h. p. Flanders (Studebaker) automobile, splendid condition. Just overhauled, fully equipped, leaving city, will sell \$425. Phone 3624, or 260 Jones Bldg. Jy23

HANDY MAN, married, wants work at anything; good painter and paper-hanger; references. Box 125, Times. Jy23

VOTING CONTEST a great feature of the B. C. Hardware's sale; \$100 in prizes values. Jy23

GOOD, ROOMY COTTAGE, modern conveniences, garden and chicken run, 1 block from car and beach; rent \$16. 192 Bushy street, corner May and Dallas. Jy23

WANTED—A good real estate salesman, paying proposition. Particulars, John Greenwood, 1315 Blanshard street. Jy23

FOUR YOUNG GOATS for sale. Apply J. Clark, Gordon Head. Jy23

FIRST-CLASS BOARD AND ROOM—Phone 245X. 725 Vancouver street. 221

## WANT COMMISSION ON THE HINDU QUESTION

Traveller Says Interest in Great Britain is Centred on Komagata Incident

That a commission should be appointed to take up the question of inter-colonial movement, particularly in so far as it affects the exodus of East Indians from India, is the feeling in Britain to-day, according to Hugh Matier, who has just arrived on the coast from the capital of the empire. The Hindu question, he states, is creating a large amount of interest in the mother country, and the Komagata's arrival in Vancouver made much stir over there, and is widely commented on in the newspapers, while in both France and Germany also much space is given in the leading journals to the Hindu troubles. Mr. Matier met several Hindus in the European capitals, and they seemed to

him that they were sent to Europe in order to influence public opinion.

"The rise of the feeling in England in favor of a commission to take up the inter-colonial movement is really due to the excitement created when the South African labor leaders were deported, although interest is now centered on the Hindus. If men who are thoroughly in touch with the situation in India and also in other parts of the empire are selected it would seem to the casual bystander that such a scheme would work out well. Perhaps some means could be devised for keeping the Hindus at home. Now that the Japanese find that they are not welcome in other countries they are commencing to bonus their own industries, and the price of labor has gone up as well, thus keeping many more at home.

"Mrs. Besant, the theosophist, is continually writing letters to the British papers in favor of the claims of the Hindus," said Mr. Matier. He went on to express the opinion that the sedition movement in India was not by any means so grave as had been claimed by many persons. While on his way west Mr. Matier saw Premier Borden on the Hindu situation.

## CHINESE IS ACQUITTED

Magistrate Holds That No Case is Made Out Against Chin Dick, Accused of Stealing.

A Chinese named Chin Dick was in the police court dock this morning on remand, on a charge of having stolen a watch, the property of Ambrose Brooks, who alleged that the prisoner snatched it from his pocket about midnight on the night of July 15. He was defended by R. C. Lowe.

Brooks is night yard foreman of the E. & N., his duties occupying him between Russell station and the city terminus. As he was going home to supper Wednesday midnight he was accosted by the accused at the corner of Store and Fisgard streets, and then recognized him as the man who had snatched his watch and made away with it on the night of July 15. He caught hold of the man and called for help, which came quickly in the persons of Detectives Siciliano and Turner. He was certain that Chin Dick was the man who had stolen his watch, running down Theatre alley to the Fisgard street end while another Chinese was holding him in conversation and dodging back again out of sight with it. There was light enough for him to be quite sure of the man.

Detective Siciliano told the court that he had been watching the accused for the past week, and was concealed behind a fence for two hours on Wednesday evening. Chin Dick passed several times and appeared to be sauntering around the block. When he heard Brooks call for help he ran out and heard Brooks tell the Chinese that he was the man who had stolen his watch. The officer said he was watching the accused because of complaints that had reached the detective office.

The magistrate held that there was no case made out, although he had strong suspicions. Brooks had only seen this Chinese on the former occasion and then at night, and the words he gave as being used by the prisoner on Wednesday night were the same as he said the other Chinese used to him on the night of the robbery. His worship did not think there had been a case made out.

A number of complaints have been received lately of robberies from the person in Chinatown, and in each case the description given tallies very closely with that of Chin Dick. In one case prominent citizen had the diamond pin cut out of his tie-pin with a pair of nippers, and yesterday he told the police that he recognized the man in the dock as the thief.

FOR SALE—1913 Cadillac, 7-passenger, newly painted, new tires, 1912 Cadillac, 7-passenger, newly painted, 1910 Cadillac, new tires, 1912 Cadillac, new tires, 1912 Overland, 1911 Ford touring car, 1912 Hupp mobile runabout. Apply Davie's Garage, 1015 Government street. Jy23

FOR SALE—Cheap, one set Fairbanks platform scales on trucks, capacity 400 lbs, almost new. Box 1753, Times. Jy23

TO LET—Furnished, two extra large front housekeeping rooms, gas, electric, off Fort. His Fernwood road. Jy23

ALISA MANSIONS, corner Cook and Collinson streets. Furnished and unfurnished suites, garage, moderate rents. Apply Janitor, Suite 2, or Phone 2861, or Vancouver Island Properties & Securities, Ltd., 1015 Government street. Jy23

SNAP—Hard up; lumber wagon, Hunt's sister cottages, next greenhouses, Esquimalt road. Jy23

EXCHANGE—Clear title land for small house. Eagles, Mahon Block. Jy23

BLANSHARD STREET, opposite V. & W. east, suites of two and three rooms, each \$9 and \$13.50 a suite. Bagshaw & Co., Phone 2711. Jy23

WANTED—To borrow, \$500 on first-class security. Business Exchange Service, 417 Hibben-Bone Building. Jy23

WANTED—A reliable chauffeur. Phone 3407. Jy23

HAVE YOU HEARD THE LATEST? Sherlock Holmes Petroleum Co. Ltd. First issue of Class A shares on the market Saturday. For information see exclusive agents, R. H. Rush & Co., corner Broad and Johnson streets. Jy23

IF YOU ARE looking for bicycles, see Oak Bay Cycle Works. Wheels from ten dollars up. Jy23

FOR SALE—New Imperial Humboldt, 5-speed bicycle, cost \$65 cash; I will take \$45 for it as I cannot now use it. Have only ridden it two or three times. It is left at Plumley's, 730 Yates street. Terms if desired. Jy23

WE WANT from 5 to 10 acres, partly cleared preferred. It must be close to railway and school, and a snap. May, Tiseman & Gemmell, 730 Fort. Jy23

### SUMMER RESORTS.

ENJOY THE OPEN OCEAN—Bungalow Inn, Clo-oose. Finest surf bathing beach in Canada, balmy South Coast, covered veranda, on great Pacific. Wonderful scenery. Tye salmon, trout fishing, etc. Free camping sites. Inn rates, \$11.25 per week. Canada's Ocean Beach Resort, Ltd., 307-8 Union Bank Bldg., Victoria, B. C.

### CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Ralph wish to thank their many friends for their kindness and for floral offerings during their recent sad bereavement.

## BOVINE TUBERCULOSIS TO BE ELIMINATED

W. T. McDonald, Livestock Commissioner, Talks to Teachers

A very interesting address on "Bovine Tuberculosis" was given this morning by W. T. McDonald, livestock commissioner for B. C., to a large number of the teachers attending the summer school at the High school.

Mr. McDonald agrees with the majority of the scientific controversialists of the day that bovine tuberculosis is transmissible to human beings, and believes that no state which has the health of its citizens at heart can afford to neglect any precautions which might help in allaying the dreadful scourge of the white race.

The press, he said, still periodically supported the idea so long maintained by Professor Koch, that bovine tuberculosis was not transmissible to the human family. Dr. Koch had exercised a strong influence on public opinion by his earlier statements in this connection, which have recently been publicly repudiated by his later qualification of the effect that there could be no doubt that the disease was transmissible. There was, stated Mr. McDonald, a marked difference between the bovine and human tubercular bacilli; but the human could act as a host for either, and it was probable that, as in the case of some plants, the bacilli varied in form according to the conditions under which they grew.

Animals, it had been demonstrated, contracted the bovine type of tuberculosis more readily than the human, and monkeys inoculated with the bovine bacilli succumbed more readily than when inoculated with the human bacilli. There was, in fact, abundance of evidence to show the danger of bovine tuberculosis to mankind, although it was obviously impossible to expect the human with the bacilli. Such accidental inoculation as had taken place in laboratories and other places had, however, shown investigators that man was not immune.

Mr. McDonald quoted at some length authentic cases of infection which could only be traced to the consumption of milk from tubercular cows. In some examinations conducted among children in an Edinburgh hospital it was found that 45 out of 72 children examined were infected with bovine bacilli. But one had not to go so far from home to find cases of infection; there was an instance fresh in his mind of a family on this island which owned a herd of seven cows which were tested and found tubercular by the department. All were destroyed by order, but one of the calves of this family, although their parents had a family history clean of tubercular complaint, were found to be in an advanced stage of consumption. The inference was obvious.

The producer was too apt to think that he had to suffer for the sake of the public health. If he but knew the loss to himself he would not complain of inspection of herds in the future. A diseased herd could not continue to be a profitable herd. There were too many instances known to the livestock department in this province of whole herds which had died from the disease, while whole litters of pigs fed with the milk from tubercular cows had also been infected—and had perished.

A description of the system of compulsory inspection of herds in the province started by the department about a year ago was given. Mr. McDonald also describing the three different tests which were used for detecting the disease in cattle or in the human being. These were: (1) Subcutaneous, (2) Intra-dermal and (3) optical, or eye test. The last was rarely applied. In making the subcutaneous test a small amount of tuberculin (a serum manufactured from tubercular germs—live bacilli) was injected beneath the skin. Prior to this the temperature of the animal was taken several times, however, in order to determine what the normal temperature was, and also to detect before-hand any extraordinary condition or illness in the animal. A considerable rise in the temperature after the injection signified, usually, the presence of tubercular disease.

In the intra-dermal test the tuberculin was injected into the skin itself—preferably the lower leg. The reaction was shown by local swelling from 48 to 60 hours later. This test was quite as reliable as the subcutaneous test, and was so much simpler that it had practically been adopted to the exclusion of the latter by the livestock department of British Columbia. Other provinces had recognized the efficacy and convenience of the test since its use here, and were considering the adoption of a similar test.

B. C. Provincial Live Stock.

Last year the local department had tested 14,897 dairy cattle, with 847 reactions. Post mortems were held in the majority of the cases, and in every case the actual presence of tuberculosis was discovered. Some tests were made prior to 1913, but it was not until the beginning of last year that compulsory tests were decided on, and an act passed making it necessary for all herd-owners to submit their cattle to the test. The first tests were purposely started on Salt Spring Island because the department knew the cattle there to be singularly healthy, and they did not begin to object to the very beginning. As they anticipated they found not a single reaction to the test there. The tests in the neighborhood of Victoria had not been so reassuring, and about 15 per cent. of the cattle had to be condemned. Away from Victoria in other parts of Vancouver Island, however, the percentage fell to about one per cent., which was very low. In Ontario it was estimated that about 25 per cent. of the cattle were infected—which meant that Ontario was faced with a big problem.

In concluding the speaker said that

the department here had been the subject of some ridicule when it undertook the big work of testing all the cattle in the province, but a constant smile and a brave front carried the day. One strong redeeming feature from the dairyman's point of view was that the province was offering compensation up to half the value of the cows destroyed, with a maximum valuation, however, for pure bred cows. The federal government was giving the idea of cattle tests their support, and had recently passed an order-in-council offering to assist all cities of 5,000 population or over to get pure milk supply, which was a tentative acknowledgment that they feared milk as the source of tubercular trouble.

### LOCAL NEWS

**Calls of Fire.**—The fire department was called yesterday to a grass fire at Central avenue, Oak Bay, and also to one at Richardson street, at the rear of government house.

**Get Your Glasses** this month while my special, \$4.50 offer is on. Best gold-filled mountings, first quality lenses; free eye examinations. Frank Clugston, Optometrist, 654 Yates St. (corner Douglas). Upstairs. Not on the ground floor.

**Big Night at Variety.**—There is a big double bill to-night at the Variety theatre. The chorus girls of the Frank Rich company compete for cash prizes in singing, dancing and other specialties, making eight big vaudeville acts in addition to the regular show.

**Bunta Singh on Trial.**—In the Saanich police court to-day the trial of Bunta Singh, on the charge of attempting a serious crime, commenced and part of the evidence was taken. The case will be concluded to-morrow.

**Messrs. Leigh's Application.**—The city engineer will report to the next meeting of the city council on the application for water lot privileges by James Leigh & Sons, in connection with their mills.

**Engineer Submitted Report.**—The city council this afternoon received a report from City Engineer Rust recommending that \$5,000 should be set aside for the groynes at the Ross Bay seawall. He mentioned that the work might not be required for some years, however.

**Counsel Withdraws.**—R. T. Elliott, K. C., one of the counsel mentioned to whom it was proposed to submit the city's case in connection with the underground conduit question has withdrawn on the ground that he is an owner of business property in the city and recognizes that his position would be difficult.

**Decides to Plead Guilty.**—When Joseph Clayton was charged in police court with smashing a plate glass window belonging to George Powell & Sons, Government street, he declined to submit his case to the arbitration of the magistrate, alleging that there was no justice in the courts. A week ago he appeared before Judge Lampan in county court for election, and decided that he would have the judge try him without the assistance of a jury, and thought he could be ready for trial to-day. This forenoon he was further chastened in spirit and pleaded guilty without more ado. He was sent to jail for three months at hard labor. Clayton was arrested by Detective Edwards, who, with three other witnesses, had to attend in court last week and again to-day. If it is any satisfaction to the prisoner he has wasted a lot of time of busy people by his course of action.

### OBITUARY RECORD

The funeral of the late Jesse Triggs will take place to-morrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from Hanna & Thomson's funeral chapel. The Rev. Dr. Scott will officiate.

The death occurred at noon to-day at the Jubilee hospital on account of her serious illness. The remains have been removed to the Victoria Undertaking parlors, and funeral arrangements will be announced later.

### OLD TIMERS' PICNIC

Interesting Occasion Being Arranged by People Who Have Lived Here Many Years.

An occasion of more than passing interest is being arranged by a number of old timers in the city, with W. J. McKeon as the moving spirit. It is planned to hold an old timers' picnic, which will be conducted by those who have lived in Victoria thirty years. The picnic will be non-society and non-political.

The names of 225 persons who have been in Victoria for thirty years or over are now in possession of Mr. McKeon, and a meeting of these will be called some day next week to determine upon the date and place and arrange the transportation and other details. The scheme in mind is to have the 200 or more old timers arrange everything themselves, and then invite ten or twenty additional persons for each old timer. This would make a picnic of several thousand people. It is the intention to make the occasion as imposing as possible.

## AUSTRALIANS ALSO CAPTURE DOUBLES

Take Three Straight Sets From Messrs. Powell and Schwengers

Chicago, July 24.—By defeating the Canadian team, Schwengers and Powell, in the Davis cup doubles to-day, the Australasian team, Wilding and Brooks, are now eligible to meet the German team at Pittsburg in the eliminating matches for challenging the American holders of the international trophy.

The Australasians to-day made a clean sweep of the doubles match, beating Schwengers and Powell 6-4, 6-3, 6-4. In the first set a great rally by the men from the southern hemisphere gave them the set after Canada had taken a lead of four games to one.

The Canadians tied the second set three-all after which the Australasians won the next three.

In the third set the Australasians won the first three points; the Canadians won the next two; the Australasians then won two; Canada won the next two and Australasia the next, making it three straight sets.

More rain to-day had left the court somewhat spongy, but with bath towels and brooms attempts made to dry it were fairly successful. Nearly 1,800 persons were in the stands.

### TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

#### NATIONAL LEAGUE

At Pittsburg—R. H. E.  
Philadelphia ..... 2 3 1  
Pittsburg ..... 3 9 1

Batteries—Mayer and Kilfiter; McQuillan and Kafara.

No other games played in the National league to-day.

#### AMERICAN LEAGUE

No American league games played to-day.

At Buffalo—R. H. E.  
Kansas City ..... 6 10 1  
Buffalo ..... 3 7 3

Batteries—Adams, Esterly, Stone and Enzenroth; Schultz, Ford and Allan, Blair.

No other Federal league games played to-day.

#### MONEY IN BOXING.

Madison, Wis., July 24.—Fees from boxing matches held in Wisconsin under the Hedding law were \$12,342 from its start up to July 1, 1914. The state gets five per cent. of all gate receipts.

#### MAJORS AGAIN LOSE.

Chicago, July 24.—Judge Baker, of the Appellate court, to-day refused a petition of the Cincinnati Nationals that he grant a stay of dissolution of the injunction prohibiting Pitcher Johnson from playing with the Kansas City Federals. Judge Foelt has dissolved the injunction and there is now no legal impediment to Johnson's playing.

#### WATERS ON GAINER.

Boston, July 24.—Waters have been asked on Del Gainer by President Lannin of the Red Sox. Gainer was injured shortly after he was obtained from Detroit.

### HOTEL PROPRIETOR DIES

Late William Jensen Owned Occidental, Dallas, and Sidney Hotels at Various Times.

The death occurred this morning at the family residence, 126 Medina street, of William Jensen, a well-known figure to all old-timers in the city who, at one time or another, had had occasion to stay at his hotel here.

The late Mr. Jensen, who was a native of Copenhagen, Denmark, came to Canada forty years ago and had lived in Victoria for the past thirty-eight years. He was the proprietor, almost from the first year of his residence here, of the old Occidental hotel, Johnson and Wharf streets, which in 1876 occupied a position in what was then the central part of the city, and was to the Victoria of that time what the Empress hotel is to the Victoria of to-day.

After several years' management of the Occidental Mr. Jensen disposed of the property and built the present Dallas hotel, which he ran for some ten or twelve years, and after severing his connection with that he removed to Sidney and bought the hotel there. Through his connection with these places Mr. Jensen at one time or another met most of the prominent men in the province, and was well-known to many people now settled in other parts of British Columbia.

He retired some years ago. Seventy-four years of age at the time of his death, he is survived by his widow; one niece, Mrs. F. W. Harris, and three nephews, W. R. Edwin and John Hornsby.

The funeral will take place on Monday afternoon from the family residence, at 2:30. The remains, which are at present at the B. C. Funeral parlors, will be removed to his late home, Medina street, to-morrow afternoon.

Oxford Street.—An adverse report to the application for exemption for 12 months from local improvement taxation on Oxford street, on account of the impassability of the street through surface drain repairs, made by G. Mellor, will be presented to the city council at an early date.

The estimated number of workpeople insured against unemployment at 25th April, 1914, was 2,284,903.

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## KILLED YOUNG MAN WHO ELOPED WITH DAUGHTER

Haverstraw, N. Y., July 24.—Witnesses who saw William V. Cleary, town clerk and political leader, kill Eugene B. Newman, his young son-in-law, in Cleary's office yesterday, testified at the coroner's inquest to-day that Cleary fired four shots at Newman before the boy had said a word. Newman is said to have aroused Cleary's anger by eloping with his daughter.

## ISLAND IS SINKING POPULATION IN PERIL

Brisbane, Aust., July 24.—Ships were on their way to-day to rescue the population of Aoba island, in the New Hebrides, reported in danger of being swallowed by the ocean in a series of violent earthquakes. The inhabitants number about 5,000.

### FIRST TRAIN THROUGH.

Vera Cruz, July 24.—The first through train from Mexico City since the American occupation of Vera Cruz arrived to-day, the breach in the railroad at last having been repaired. The passengers reported all quiet in the capital.



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## WILL INVESTIGATE LABOR CONDITIONS

Miss H. F. Powell Has Been Entrusted With Mission by Australian Labor League

Bearing credentials from Premier Holman, of New South Wales, Miss H. F. Powell, of Ballarat, Australia, is in the city and leaves this evening for San Francisco. She proposes to devote herself to the study of labor conditions in Canada and the United States during some months, particularly with regard to the condition of women and children industrially, a phase of the modern commercial world to which she has given special attention in the last seven or eight years.

Miss Powell has operated under the auspices of the Australian Political Labor League, a powerful organization, and has campaigned freely in Queensland, New South Wales, Victoria, and Tasmania, as well as in New Zealand.

Speaking of conditions generally, Miss Powell, who is at the Dominion hotel, told the Times that Australia is very prosperous at the present time, but that remark does not apply to New Zealand, which does not seem to have developed greatly since the death of Premier Seddon. She blames the industrial agitation in the country, with its disturbance of settled conditions for the apparent set-back to the Dominion. But good times in Australia, and the absence of drought, for a long period, in the eastern states have resulted in particular activity in every line of work, and a great development in the trade of the Commonwealth. She claims that the advent of the Fisher government to power in 1910, and its three years' ministry, synchronizes exactly with the remarkable growth of business throughout the country.

Alluding to the immigration question, Miss Powell stated that the antagonism of the unions to the introduction of new white material into the country was gradually giving way to a recognition that people must be induced to enter Australia if the continent is to be saved for the white races. A long fringe of coast line inhabited by less than five millions of people could offer no effective barrier to a yellow enemy. She says that the Australian public is not as alive to the defence question today as it was a few years ago, although the citizen army is progressing well, and the naval programme is being developed.

"I am surprised that the Canadian House of Commons has gone back on the decision of the Imperial conference for individual defence arrangements by the dominions overseas, as we in Australia are united to make

provision so far as we can for the defence of the Pacific ocean. The policy of contribution must come to an end sooner or later." Reverting to immigration, Miss Powell stated that the class of people coming out from the Old Country was better than formerly. They had had too many Londoners coming to Australia, presumably to go on the land, but more frequently, being entirely unfitted for agricultural pursuits, they drifted back to the large cities. Mr. Holman's policy at the present time was to encourage a better class of immigrant, and he seemed to be successful to a large extent.

"To the cause of equal pay for men and women for similar services, and still there is a great deal to be done. In the Mildura district of Victoria, both sexes are paid equally for picking fruit, but this unfortunately is not a common experience.

"We have arbitration courts, effective workmen's compensation and advanced legislation generally, which I am told is ahead of any part of the world. It is largely to look into the questions of this character that I am making this tour."

Miss Powell spoke on early closing and half-holiday movement for stores, and pointed out that objections which had been taken in the past had been met in actual experience, and it was working a benefit throughout the states.

She is a young, enthusiastic missionary of industrialism, who is determined to make use of her experience in her lecture tour.

## SCHRAAK'S CONDITION MENTALLY NOW WORSE

Milwaukee, Wis., July 24.—John Schraak, who attempted to assassinate Col. Roosevelt in Milwaukee in October, 1912, probably never will be tried on the charge of assault with intent to kill, according to Judge A. C. Backus, of the municipal court, who today received word from physicians in the criminal insanity department of the state prison at Waupun that Schraak is still growing worse from a mental standpoint. The assault charge stands against the prisoner, and he cannot be tried until he has been pronounced sane. Should the case ever come up the point will be raised as to his sanity when the assault was committed.

**METAL MARKET.**  
New York, July 24.—Lead quiet, \$3.85; copper, \$3.50; tin, \$12.50; silver, \$1.50; nickel, \$1.25; zinc, \$1.10; iron, \$1.00; steel, \$0.90; brass, \$0.80; aluminum, \$0.70; copper wire, \$0.60; tin plate, \$0.50; zinc plate, \$0.40; iron plate, \$0.30; steel plate, \$0.20; brass plate, \$0.10; aluminum plate, \$0.05.

# Commercial News

## FOREIGN ACCOUNTS ON WALL STREET SELLING

Prices Forced Down by European Business Leaving Stock Market Weak

(By F. W. Stevenson & Co.)  
New York, July 24.—The list closed lower. There was heavy selling for foreign account on late trading, which was accompanied by reports of political complications in the Balkans and the failure of the latter conference. The Berlin market has been very unsettled of late, and sentiment in Vienna has been depressed as a consequence of the Austro-Serbian embargo. The situation on the continent taken in connection with the apathy of large domestic interests and the delay in the rendering of the decision of the arbitral tribunal are not yet in order in the New York stock market, especially as the agricultural prospects have recently been clouded by reports of a serious state of affairs in various important producing sections.

High. Low. Bid. Asked.			
Amal. Copper	77 1/2	77 1/2	77 1/2
Am. Beet Sugar	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Am. Car. & Foundry	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Am. Ice Securities	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Am. Locomotive	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. Smelting	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2
Am. Tel. & Tel. Co.	119 1/2	119 1/2	119 1/2
Am. Tobacco	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2
Gen. Motors	89 1/2	89 1/2	89 1/2
Am. Steel	109 1/2	109 1/2	109 1/2
Atchafalpa	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
B. & O.	78 1/2	78 1/2	78 1/2
C. & P. R.	183 1/2	183 1/2	183 1/2
Central Leather	35 1/2	35 1/2	35 1/2
C. & G. W.	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Do. pref.	342 1/2	342 1/2	342 1/2
C. M. & St. P.	97 1/2	97 1/2	97 1/2
Calif. Petro.	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Colo. Fuel & Iron	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Con. Gas	127 1/2	127 1/2	127 1/2
Do. pref.	44 1/2	44 1/2	44 1/2
Do. 1st pref.	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2
Goodrich	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
B. N. pref.	122 1/2	122 1/2	122 1/2
Inter-Metro	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Do. pref.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Inter. Harvester	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Kas. City Southern	26 1/2	26 1/2	26 1/2
Lehigh Valley	133 1/2	133 1/2	133 1/2
Me. Petro.	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
New Haven	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2
M. St. P. & S. S. M.	152 1/2	152 1/2	152 1/2
M. K. & T.	112 1/2	112 1/2	112 1/2
Do. pref.	29 1/2	29 1/2	29 1/2
Mo. Pacific	91 1/2	91 1/2	91 1/2
Nev. Cons.	136 1/2	136 1/2	136 1/2
N. Y. C. & H. R.	80 1/2	80 1/2	80 1/2
N. & W.	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
N. P.	108 1/2	108 1/2	108 1/2
Pennsylvania	104 1/2	104 1/2	104 1/2
Pressed Steel Car	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Reading	161 1/2	161 1/2	161 1/2
Do. pref.	81 1/2	81 1/2	81 1/2
Rock Island	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Do. pref.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
S. P.	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Son. Railway	20 1/2	20 1/2	20 1/2
Do. pref.	126 1/2	126 1/2	126 1/2
U. S. Rubber	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
U. S. Steel	50 1/2	50 1/2	50 1/2
Utah Copper	56 1/2	56 1/2	56 1/2
Va. Car. Chem.	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Western Union	12 1/2	12 1/2	12 1/2
Westinghouse	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Granby (Boston)	71 1/2	71 1/2	71 1/2
Money on call, 12 per cent.			

## RUSSIAN NEWS MAKES RISE IN WHEAT PRICE

Chicago, July 24.—Liverpool market was higher, based on unfavorable news from Russia, lower estimate of Canadian harvest prospects, and increased commercial demand for wheat. At the same time the trade here had bullish news from the spring wheat country, black rust reports coming from the west, which were supposed to be free from the blight, and decidedly poor crop claims from the western Canadian provinces. Wheat—Open High Low Close—Sept. 812 812 812 812; Dec. 843 843 843 843; May 884 884 884 884. Corn—Sept. 69 69 69 69; Dec. 54 54 54 54; May 61 61 61 61. Oats—Sept. 36 36 36 36; Dec. 37 37 37 37; May 40 40 40 40. Flour—Sept. 20 20 20 20; Dec. 20 20 20 20; May 20 20 20 20. Lard—Sept. 10 10 10 10; Dec. 10 10 10 10; May 10 10 10 10. Sugar—Sept. 11 11 11 11; Dec. 11 11 11 11; May 11 11 11 11.

## MONTREAL STOCKS.

By F. W. Stevenson & Co.	Bid. Asked.
Ames	11
Do. pref.	11
B. C. Packers	112
Bell Tel.	144
Brazill	108
Dom. Bridge	108
Can. Cement	25 1/2
C. P. R.	183 1/2
Can. Cot. com.	25 1/2
Do. pref.	71 1/2
Crown Reserve	118 1/2
Can. Conv.	48
Can. Car. Fdy.	81 1/2
Detroit United	65 1/2
Dom. Canners	37
Dom. Iron & S.	22 1/2
Do. pref.	25 1/2
Dominion Trust	100
L. Tracton	61
Lake of Woods	130
Laurentide	177
McDonald Co.	10
Cedar	66
Mackay	89
Montreal Power	22 1/2
Mex. Light. com.	27 1/2
N. S. Steel	50 1/2
Ogilvie	114
Ottawa Power	137 1/2
Pennam. com.	49
Quebec Railway	18
R. & O. Nav. Co.	83
Shawinigan	131
Sherwin Williams	100
Do. pref.	89
Soo Line	120
Steel of Can.	12
Spanish River	12
Textile	66
Toronto Railway	120 1/2
Tuckett	50
Twin City	101
Winnipeg Electric	190
Weyburn	115
W. C. Power	27
Montreal Tram.	44 1/2
Can. S. S.	63
Do. pref.	63

## CANADIAN DEBENTURES.

London, July 24.—Recent debentures issued and now quoted at premiums are: Province of British Columbia, 5; Dominion of Canada, 2; city of Montreal, 1; Quoted at discounts are: Greater Winnipeg water district, 2; Imperial Tobacco of Canada, 1; province of Ontario, 1; Quebec, 2; South Vancouver, 1.

## LOCAL MARKET STEADY MONARCH HAS STRIKE

Great West Permanent Sells for \$124; Athabasca Bought at \$120

There was not much change in quotations upon the local market this morning. Great West Permanent Loan sold at \$124 and Athabasca at \$120. A reported strike of crude oil in the Monarch property sent the bid for that stock to \$10 per share, but local sellers are awaiting definite news before offering their stock. The rest of the list held firm in spite of heavy liquidation in other markets.

Bid. Asked.		
10	25	
Blackbird Syndicate	120	120
B. C. Life	100	100
B. C. Trust Co.	100	100
B. C. Packers, com.	112	112
B. C. Refining Co.	55	55
B. C. Copper Co.	125	125
Crow's Nest Coal	40	40
C. N. P. Fisheries	124	124
Coronation Gold	108	108
Dominion Trust Co.	107	107
Red Cliff	127	127
Granby	78	78
International Coal & Coke	23	23
Johns. & Co.	16	16
Nugget Gold	16	16
Portland Cement	100	100
Pac. Coast Fire	100	100
Pac. Loan	14	14
Rambler Cariboo	12	12
Standard Lead	160	160
Snowdon	35	35
S. S. Island Creamery	735	735
Stewart Land	100	100
Victoria Phoenix	100	100
Unlisted		
American Marconi	200	400
B. C. Coal & Oil	100	100
Canada Mines	100	100
Can. Pac. Oil	61	61
Glacier Creek	62	62
Johns. & Co.	25	25
Union Club (deb.)	25	25
Western Can. F. Mills	150	150
Maricopa	100	100
Pan American	100	100
Sales		
Great West Permanent	124	120
Calgary Oil Stocks		
Alberta Assoc.	400	700
Alberta Canadian	100	100
Alberta Canadian	115	130
Albion	60	60
Herron Elder	60	60
June Oil	100	100
Knob Oil	100	100
Piedmont	70	70
Prudential	70	70
Trenton	18	18
Union Pac.	19	19
Pitt Meadows	75	75
100 Athabasca	120	120

## FLAX CONTINUES UP WHEAT AND OATS DOWN

Winnipeg, July 24.—Flax prices continued their upward career again today, opening prices being 1 to 4 cents higher than Thursday's close. Wheat and oats on the other hand were on the downward slope, opening values being about steady. Wheat opened a cent lower. The weather over the Canadian west is generally favorable, although Cypress River reports 100 per cent. rain Thursday. Trading was active in options during the entire session and wheat prices closed 1 to 4 cents down. The demand for cash wheat was good for No. 1 and 2 northern wheat and flax, but there was no inquiry for oats and barley. Prices closed: Wheat, 1 cent down; oats, unchanged to 2 cent down; flax, 1 cent higher; barley, 1 cent higher; 1 cent higher. Deliveries through the clearing house were: Wheat, 128,000 bushels; oats, 40,000 bushels; barley, 20,000 bushels; and hay, 1,000 bales. Inspections Thursday numbered 150 cars as against 137 last year, and in sight were 120 cars.

Open. Close.		
912	914	
80-1	802	
854-1	844	
304	304	
374	362	
1571	1573	
159	160	
1612	1612	
1584		

## NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

By F. W. Stevenson & Co.	Open. High. Low. Close.
Jan.	12.50 12.51 12.36 12.40-41
March	12.53 12.55 12.42 12.42-43
July	12.72 12.74 12.64 12.64-65
Sept.	12.82 12.83 12.74 12.74-75
Nov.	12.82 12.83 12.74 12.74-75
Dec.	12.85 12.87 12.74 12.74-75

## MANITOBA COMMENCES ANNUAL HARVESTING

Winnipeg, July 24.—Harvesting in Manitoba has commenced and the first sample of heavy wheat grown in Manitoba was exhibited on the Winnipeg grain exchange this morning by Andrew Kelly, of the Western Canada Flour Mills. It was grown on the lower farm, forty miles southwest of Winnipeg, where about fifty acres of wheat have been cut. The sample is described as being hard, firm and of good quality.

## NEW YORK CURE PRICES.

By F. W. Stevenson & Co.	Bid. Asked.
Am. Marconi	20
Bell	23
Beaver	23
B. C. Life	100
Buffalo	1
Can. Marconi	14
Can. Gold B.	78
Cariboo	66
Comb. Fraction	4
Crown Reserve	14
Edw. Cons.	5
Daily	1-16
Gold Cons.	34
Hollinger	184
Kerr Lake	202
Mines of Am.	3
Nipissing	131-16
Stand. of W.	131-16
Stewart	13-16
Tonopah	54
Yukon	24
Wetlaufer	6
Winona	23

## GOULD CLAIMED MILLION DOLLARS FROM RAILWAY

Accountant Explains Vouchers of Company Which Has Now Cost \$3,504,038.

St. John, N. B., July 24.—Ralph D. Hoben, accountant of the St. John and Quebec Railway company, commenced the third day of his examination before the royal commission today. Mr. Hoben has become the interpreter of several thousand vouchers and many books of the railway and construction companies. J. M. Stephens, K. C., took up a new line of examination dealing with the formation of the construction company and its interlocking connection with the railway company. This was based on the minutes and from these was read and submitted the contract between the two companies.

It developed that 8,990 shares of the construction company stock had been deposited with the Prudential Trust company of Montreal as security, and that A. R. Gould had a claim for one million dollars against the railway company for work, services and expenses. This claim he transferred to the construction company for \$899,000 payable in fully paid up shares of the company.

## PROTESTANTS UNITE FOR MEXICAN WORK

Religious and Educational Campaign Planned on Large Scale for Every State.

New York, July 24.—Five Protestant denominations united forces today to conduct a great educational and religious campaign in Mexico. Bishop W. F. Oldham, of the Methodist church, a member of the committee representing the various mission boards of these denominations, in making this announcement, said the movement showed that the churches were confident of the approach of a new era of progress and a better understanding between the United States and Mexico.

## WARRANT ISSUED FOR MEXICAN TREASURER

Mexico City, July 24.—As a result of an investigation ordered by Provisional President Carbajal into the finances of the country during the administration of General Huerta, it is reported that a warrant was issued for the arrest of Eugenio Parades, former general treasurer of the republic.

Parades is charged in the warrant with misappropriating more than two million pesos of government money. He is reported to be now at Puerto Mexico.

## JASONVILLE BURNING: TOWN WITHOUT WATER

Jasonville, Ind., July 24.—Fire, which started shortly after noon today in the family theatre, a motion picture house here, had spread to a score of business houses, covering a radius of four blocks, at 2 o'clock, and was unchecked. Thousands of dollars damage had been done but there was no way of estimating the probable loss.

Jasonville is practically without water supply because of the drought. Help has been asked from Terre Haute and Linton fire departments.

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## MUST APPOINT NEW TEACHERS NEXT WEEK

Increase in Attendance at  
High School in Fall Term  
Forces Board to Act

As indicated already in the Times, the situation which has arisen at the High school through the large pass list from the graded schools as a result of the recent entrance examinations has forced the school trustees to consider the augmentation of the staff. At the meeting of the city school board yesterday it was decided to take up the appointment of three teachers at once, and leave over the provision of another one till it is seen how many of the 327 pupils qualified to enter the school next term will join the classes. Principal Willis intimated through the municipal inspector that he estimated 95 would be leaving, making an increase of some 200 pupils on the present total. The subjects for which instructors are wanted are mathematics, English and Latin, according to Mr. Willis, and as he was only ready that day to make one recommendation to the board, it was decided to hold a meeting in the immediate future at which the appointments will be made. Although Chairman Jay thought that the estimate of the number going on to the High school was rather large, the municipal inspector said averaging a class of thirty to each teacher, together with the two additional teachers appointed recently, it would only provide for 150 pupils. They were certain of that increase. A committee was then named to consider the applications, and make recommendations to the board at the special meeting.

The tenders of Mr. Weisspinner at \$65 for the old Fernwood school, and \$465 for the house on Michigan street, were received, and being the lowest were accepted. In the two cases the board instructed the secretary not to allow any material to be removed till the tenderer has put up a cheque.

Some discussion took place as to the desirability of the board acquiring the triangular strip of property on Fort street, from Fernwood road to Moss street, which would give a frontage to the school reserve, and which is in the market on account of the city having purchased three houses and sites for the widening of the street. Two houses have been pulled down, but one remains, which it was suggested might be used for a janitor's house in place of the old building on the grounds allocated for that purpose. The building and grounds committee will report upon the matter.

The contract for the cordwood was awarded to Brown and Simmons, the lowest tenderers, at \$4.60 a cord for yellow fir. The difference for lump coal was very small between the Victoria Fuel company, 640, Hall & Walker, \$8.45; and J. Kingham & Co., \$6.50, these three firms being the lowest tenderers. While it was mentioned that the Victoria Fuel company, the present contractors, have been obliged to buy American coal in order to fill their contract during part of the past year, through the strike on Vancouver Island, it was felt that it would be unfair to disturb them, being the lowest tenderers. Mrs. Jenkins and Major

Riddell said Kingham & Co. had always given the best of service to the board.

It was decided to notify Lieut. Mulcahy that the new physical instructor at the High school will have charge of the cadet work there.

### WILL INTERVIEW MINISTER

Deputation From Manufacturers' Association is to Wait Upon Attorney-General Next Tuesday.

With tenders already invited for the first section of the University buildings at Point Grey, the B. C. Manufacturers' association is anxious to secure from the government an undertaking that preference will be given to manufacturers of the province. A deputation from the association will wait on Hon. W. J. Bowser here on Tuesday to ask that a preference will be given to goods manufactured in this province wherever they can be obtained.

The manufacturers hope to be able to secure the bulk of the contracts for supplying material used at the university. At a meeting on July 14, C. E. Tisdall, M. P. P., gave an undertaking to a ward meeting of Vancouver Conservatives that a fair wages clause and a clause limiting the work to British subjects would be inserted in all contracts for the university. Recently in the principal buildings round Victoria created by the government the specifications have been modified to secure the use of cut stone quarried in the province, in preference to imported materials, and as practically all the building material can be obtained in British Columbia, the manufacturers do not see why the government should go outside British Columbia in ordering supplies.

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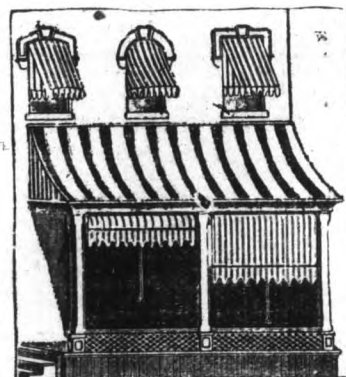
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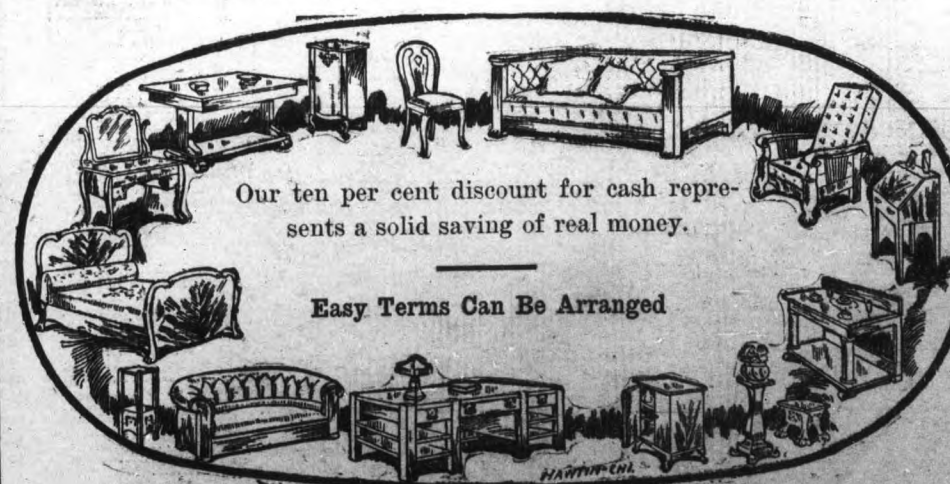
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